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## LOCAL ITEMS

Harold Stewart returned Thursday from Calgary.

Mr. D. E. Bell was a Hanna visitor on Thursday.

Mr. Cliphams is staying at the Acadia Hotel for a short time.

Mr. R. Morrison of the Garage, was a Calgary visitor on Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Nicholson, of Bassano, on Sept. 16th, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Neff spent the week end last week with their son Edwin at Hanna.

Mr. S. Johnston, of Calgary, arrived Wednesday of last week to at the home of Mr. J. E. Irvine.

R. Morrison, who has been working at the garage for Cooley Bros., left for Calgary Saturday.

C. R. Richardson is here making arrangements for the supply of ice for the hotel and restaurants.

Cooley Bros. have sold their sixth Wood Bros. Threshing Outfit and the 21st Fordson Tractor this season.

Lionel Chevrier, from I. W. Deman's threshing outfit, who has been ill at the Acadia Hotel, has fully recovered.

Mr. Adam Marr, who has been living in Vancouver, returned to Chinook this week to help his son with the threshing.

Mrs. W. A. Switzer, who has been staying at the Acadia Hotel, moved this week into the house owned by Mr. Mead.

A meeting of "The Busy Bees" was held at the home of Mrs. Lensgraf on Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of sewing quilts.

A meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Lee this evening (Thursday) at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend.

Mr. W. Dawson arrived on Sunday to visit his brother, Mr. L. S. Dawson. Mr. Dawson has been since Spring in Kindersley, coming there from Elgin, Scotland.

Although there has been very little threshing done in the Chinook district up to the present, there has been twenty carload of grain, averaging 14,000 bushels, shipped from this point this season.

Percy Dobson is visiting his mother, Mrs. B. Dobson, and old friends in Chinook this week. Mr. Dobson has been travelling on business through the principal cities of Ontario for the past three months.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church met on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Chapman. It was decided to hold an apron and bankchief sale later in the year, also to put on the usual Giggis supper during Bonspiel week.

The Ladies' Card Club met last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. E. Jacques. Mrs. S. H. Smith received the prize for the highest score of the evening, a lovely cup and saucer. The club will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. S. Smith.

Mr. Lawrence of Spokane, who along with Mrs. Lawrence had been visiting in this district has purchased a half section of land from Mr. Oliver Jones, north of Sounding Creek. He intends bringing his furniture from the States and will reside on his new farm.

## KITTEN WITH TWO FACES

A freak of nature was born on the farm of Mr. N. F. Marcy, about 13 miles east of Chinook, two weeks ago. A cat had given birth to a batch of kittens, all of which was quite natural, except one. This kitten had a well developed body, but its head was more than normal. It was endowed with two distinct faces, four eyes, but only one set of ears. The kitten did not survive.

Mr. Marcy sent the freak to a taxidermist in Calgary for the purpose of having it mounted. The taxidermist reported that the bones of the kitten were not developed enough and it was too soft to mount.

## Redcliff Wants Line Completed

Improved business conditions throughout the province, together with the big harvest being threshed all through the Redcliff district is giving new force to the appeal for the completion of the Hanna-Redcliff branch of the Canadian National Railway.

The road is at present operating to the north side of the Red Deer river at Steveston, some sixty miles north-west of Redcliff. The cement abutments for the bridge across the Red Deer were completed before the outbreak of the war. The grade between the river and Redcliff is practically all built. Some weeks ago C.N.R. officials made a careful inspection of the grade and cement work at the river, and found remarkably small depreciation.

Last week, Dr. Gershaw, M.P.; Captain Pringle, M.L.A., and Mayor Bullivant, of Medicine Hat, interviewed Hon. Chas. Dunning, minister of railways, explaining to him the great advantages which the completion of the road would bring to the industries of that part of the province, as well as to the towns and farmers in the central part of the province, which would receive the benefit of a more direct connection with these industries. The minister showed keen interest in the representations made to him, and promised his support if Sir Henry Thornton included this extension in his recommendations to parliament.

Herman Trelle, the world's wheat and oat king, is now developing a variety of wheat which will stand frost and snow and remain standing long after it is ripe. His idea in securing a wheat of this kind is that these qualities are necessary if farmers are to make a success of the use of the combine harvester and thresher. The wheat is said to have an overcoat on to protect it from the cold. Now, if Mr. Trelle would provide the grain with a sweater and rain coat it would be fine for this kind of weather.—Consort Enterprise.

The Alberta Corn Growers Association has been fortunate in being able to secure the services of Prof. Clyde McKee as Judge of the entries at the Provincial Corn Show, which is to be held in Calgary on November 17 and 18. Prof. McKee has been agronomist at the Montana State College for a number of years and has been closely identified with the development of corn growing in Montana.

J. F. Miller, eye specialist, of Calgary, was at the Acadia Hotel last Friday, attending to his customers here.

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## Monday's Storm Delays Threshing

The heavy rain storm and snow of Monday has again put a stop to threshing throughout the greater part of Alberta, and it will likely be the end of the week before the grain will be dry enough to start work.

The storm is reported as general all over the province, and considerable damage was done by the high winds which prevailed. The telephone and telegraph service both east and west of Chinook

was out of commission and no long distance messages could be sent through for several hours.

At present farmers are anxious to get threshing done, labor shortage being keenly felt, and in spite of the fact that wages offered are higher than usual, men are hard to get.

The situation, however, will right itself with an improvement in weather conditions, as many districts throughout the province will quickly complete threshing and release men to other areas not so far advanced.

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## Higher Education In Canada

During the month of October, two notable celebrations have occurred in Canada—the centenary of the University of Toronto, the original charter of which was granted by King George IV. in 1827, and the golden jubilee of the University of Manitoba. Indeed, the influence of the older of these two great institutions has been felt throughout the United States as well as Canada.

Considering the population of Canada, and the number, size, and financial strength of Canadian universities, it is not only surprising, but a distinct tribute to these bodies that they occupy such a relatively high place among the universities of the world. All of Canada's universities are still young in years, but their standards are high and their achievements noteworthy. Their graduates are to be found all over the globe doing some of the best of the world's work.

For example, it is revealed by a recent survey of medical colleges in North America made by Rockefeller Foundation that the Medical College of the University of Toronto ranks first, with Harvard University second, John Hopkins University, Baltimore, third, and McGill, Montreal, fourth, a truly remarkable showing for Canada. Instead of Canadians having to go abroad to obtain the best in University training, the reverse is true, and hundreds of United States students are annually enrolled in Canadian institutions. Even from the British Isles come students to take the engineering courses at McGill, and to pursue their medical studies in Canada.

It was from the medical college of Toronto University that Dr. P. G. Banting gave his wonderful discovery of insulin to the world, while many of the great engineering feats in Canada during the last fifty years, and in other parts of the world as well, are due to the genius of Canadian University trained engineers.

From the earliest days, education has been given the very forefront in every Canadian programme. It has dominated the thought and inspired the policies of the Canadian people. The result is seen in the character of the people, in the strength of our public institutions, and in the growing importance of Canada in world affairs.

The younger universities of these Western Provinces are worthily upholding the traditions and standards of the older institutions and will play an equally important part in the upbuilding of the West and in the contributions they will make to the life of the Dominion. Particularly in their research, survey, and extension departments is work of the most vital interest to this country being performed. The strides being made in the development of agriculture along scientific lines, and in growing plant pests, such as rust, will not only mean untold millions to the farmers of the West, but will result in a general raising of the standard of living, of cultural equipment, and of the level of prosperity throughout Canada.

In one of the three prairie provinces at the present time, one in every four of the population is attending school. In a small Western city of approximately 40,000 population there is at present enrolment in public and separate schools, high schools, colleges, and other institutions of learning no less than 10,000 students. The writer has not the data but no doubt the same statement can be made of other Provinces and cities in the West. The heaviest single item of taxation borne by the people is for education, but it is borne gladly and without complaining. In fact, it is a matter of pride and the boast of the West.


No other subject, no other department of the Government, is watched more closely than education. It is well that this should be so, because in the intelligence, the training, the character of the younger generation lies the hope, the future of this great country. Here is to be found the basic foundation of all that is fine and worthwhile in life, and upon such foundation rests the strength and greatness of any people or nation.

## Believe Animals Can Think

### Clever Training Not Altogether Responsible For Their Intelligence

Belief that animals can think was expressed by some delegates to the International Congress for Psychical Research at Paris, although others were inclined to believe that clever training was responsible for manifestations indicating thought on the part of animals.

Charles Richet, president of the congress, although expressing unwillingness to declare his views without qualification, said "that it would be very daring to say categorically that human existence is entirely different from that of animals. We certainly find evidence of thought in animals," he said, "and the time will come, I think, when we will discover a chain of connection between biology, physiology and metaphysics."



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## Canadian Poet Honored

Halifax Girl Named In Recent Shakespeare Verse Competition  
Mary Seton, of Halifax, N.S., is among those who are placed in the order of merit in the poems in English section of the Shakespeare verse competition promoted by the Poetry Society and incorporated in aid of the Memorial Theatre fund at Stratford-on-Avon.

The competition has attracted a world-wide interest, poems being submitted in many languages. A sonnet by Frank Deresford, of Wolverhampton, England, was placed first in the English Poems Section.

## Why Hobble Along

### On Sore Corns?

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## Englishman Has Odd Farm

### Specializes In Butterflies and Ships Them All Over Country

Nowadays there are many kinds of farms, but the oddest is probably the butterfly farm. Mr. L. W. Newman's remarkable establishment in Kent, England, sends thousands of butterflies and moths to all parts of the country. In Yorkshire there is a butterfly farm at Burnsthorpe, near Scarborough. Mr. Newman specializes in British specimens alone, but at Burnsthorpe all manner of exotic species are included. In the late summer days the play of Indian silk moth and other beautiful foreign races is a thing to be remembered.

## A FAMILY MEDICINE

### A Welland Lady Tells Of The Value Of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills In Her Home

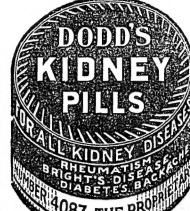
"I have many reasons for praising Dr. Williams' Pink Pills," says Mrs. George J. Swick, R.R. No. 2, Welland, Ont. "My first experience with this medicine was in my childhood, when following an attack of scarlet fever, I was left in a badly run down condition and the pills restored me to good health. Later in my married life I had a severe attack of rheumatism. The pain in my right arm and leg was so bad that I could dress myself without help. Again I resorted to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and again they restored me to a healthy condition. As soon as the rheumatic pains and stiffness disappeared and there has been no return of the trouble. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have also been of great benefit to my children. One of my boys was threatened with St. Vitus dance. His limbs and face would twitch and jerk. I gave him the pills, and again they did not fail, and under the treatment the trouble ceased. I have also given the pills to my little girl, who was anemic, and in this case also with the greatest benefit. Naturally when I hear any one complaining of not feeling well, I recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I know of no other medicine which equal them in building up the blood and restoring health."

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The person who walked across the street was once called a pedestrian. Now, unless he moves pretty smartly, he is often referred to as "the doer."

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## Newspaper Association Executive



S. J. Dornan, Alameda, secretary-treasurer of Saskatchewan Weekly Newspaper Association.

## Newspaper Men Foregather

### Eleventh Annual Convention Of Saskatchewan Weekly Newspaper Association

Regina.—In point of attendance and in general enthusiasm the eleventh annual convention of the Saskatchewan Division of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association was the most successful gathering of the organization yet held. Organized in 1916, the Association has been steadily increasing in strength, and now is able to boast of a membership of one hundred per cent. No small amount of credit for this success is due to the untiring work of the energetic secretary, S. J. Dornan, of Alameda.

The sessions were held in the Hotel Saskatchewan, where excellent accommodation was provided for the holding of meetings as well as for entertainment. Regina was unanimously chosen as the meeting place for the 1928 convention.

On Thursday a luncheon as given by the Regina Board of Trade, and a dinner was tendered by the Saskatchewan Government, after which the delegates were the guests of the Toronto Type Foundry Co., at a theatre party. The Saskatchewan Wheat Pool management gave a luncheon on Friday and on Friday evening the Weekly Newspaper Association were hosts at a dinner, at which the president-elect, Mr. McCullough, of Weyburn, presided.

Officers were elected for the coming year as follows: T. H. McCullough, Weyburn, president; Hon. President, Hon. S. J. Latta; Hon. Vice-President, C. R. McIntosh, M.P., North Battleford; vice-president, S. R. Moore, Swift Current; secretary, treasurer, S. J. Dornan, Alameda; Executive: E. Garrett, Watrous; N. Wynne, Yorkton; G. W. Smallwood, Kelowna; T. E. Seriver, Wolske; H. G. Sheldrake, North Battleford; and C. J. Allison, Asquith.

S. N. Wynne, Yorkton, recently elected president of the Canadian Association, was the speaker at Thursday afternoon's session. During the course of his remarks, Mr. Wynne read an extract from the report of the British Columbia Association in which a strong tribute was paid to the Saskatchewan division.

## Declares People Are Affected By Sunspots

### Largely Responsible For Crime Waves Says Russian Professor

The day is not far off, in the opinion of Prof. Alexander Tchajevsky, of Moscow University, when a judge, in estimating the degree of guilt of a person convicted of crime, will demand to know the meteorological and astronomical conditions obtaining at the time the crime was committed.

Tchajevsky claims to have discovered a decided relation between sunspot activity and human frailty. In a report prepared for the Moscow Psychological Laboratory he writes:

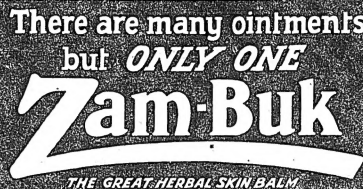
"The nearer a crime is to the time when sunspot activity reaches its maximum, the less is the responsibility of the guilty person for the crime committed. Judges in pronouncing sentences should bear in mind and act accordingly."

Sun-spots, he says, "produce an enormous amount of electricity, which exerts the most potent influence on the nervous, magnetic storms and other phenomena of nature. They also operate on the nervous system of man and bring marked changes in his emotions and impulses."

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## In Memory Of Col. Ham

### Tablet Is Unveiled At Montreal By Women's Press Club

Tribute to the memory of Colonel George Ham, who in his day was one of the most widely-known and popular citizens of Canada, was paid recently at Montreal by the Canadian Women's Press Club, when Miss May S. Clendinning, president of that organization, unveiled a tablet to Colonel Ham in the Windsor street station of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The tablet reads:

"To the memory of Colonel George Henry Ham, official of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who died in Montreal April 16, 1926. This tablet is erected by the Canadian Women's Press Club in grateful recognition of his services as their founder and friend. He was a gallant gentleman and great of heart."

## Latest Contribution To Science Of Advertising

### Device Projects Images For Five Miles On Cloud Bank

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**Cost Of Bushel Of Wheat**  
United States show that the highest cost of producing a bushel of wheat in North America was at a town in Minnesota; the cost was \$2.23. The lowest cost was at the home town of ex-Premier Greenfield, in the Peace River; the cost was 54 cents.

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## Property Losses Due To Fire Cost The People Of Canada The Sum of \$200 Per Minute

Forest fires have taken a terrible toll from the value of Canada's natural resources, but they are after all but one phase of the terrible scourge of fire. According to the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa, Canadians pay over one hundred million dollars per year in property losses due to fire, in the maintenance of fire-fighting organizations and in insurance premiums in excess of losses paid. This is a staggering sum. Capitalized, it represents a debt on the Canadian public of over two billion dollars the income from which is required to meet these charges, at the rate of \$200 per minute—a sum almost equal to the national debt or to the country's entire railway investment. This takes no account of unemployment created and most terrible of all, lives lost.

Anything that will arouse public interest in the threatened danger, that will stimulate public concern in organizing to combat this plague of carelessness—since 80 per cent. of fires are caused by inexcusable ignorance or neglect—should be given wholehearted support by every public spirited citizen. A royal proclamation making the week of October 9th to 15th the official Fire Prevention Week in Canada provides a definite incentive for some excellent preventative and educational work. The Royal proclamation has the following suggestions to offer:

1. All dwellings and their surroundings be carefully inspected by their occupants and all conditions likely to cause or promote the spread of fires removed.
2. All public buildings, stores, warehouses and factories be inspected and cleaned of rubbish in order to reduce fire hazards and maintain health and safety.
3. All hotels, theatres, asylums, hospitals and other institutional buildings be inspected and provisions made for all changes necessary to protect the occupants from danger in the event of fire.
4. Fire drills be held for the children in all schools, for the inmates of all institutions and for the employees in all large stores and factories in order that a greater degree of safety may be ensured by acquainting the occupants with the best and most expeditious mode of exit in time of danger.
5. Special instruction on the subject of fire prevention be given by the teachers and by municipal officials in the schools and that such appropriate literature as may be made available be distributed to the pupils.
6. Boy scout leaders give instructions to the troops under their control as to the best means of co-operation with municipal fire departments in the prevention and extinguishment of fires and especially as to the desirability of qualifying for the Fireman's badge.
7. All legislation and regulations enacted or issued by Dominion, provincial or municipal authorities dealing with fire prevention be given publicity by the municipal officials and that by public meetings or otherwise as may be seen most fit, they endeavour to impress upon the citizens the national importance of safeguarding life and property from loss by fire.

### A Real Masterpiece

Recently there was a distinct earthquake shock which disturbed a small Western city and rocked the municipal building so that the councilmen, then in session, left without the usual ceremonies. The clerk, a man of rules and regulations, was hard put to give his minutes the proper official tone. Finally he evolved this masterpiece: "On motion of the city hall, the council adjourned."

### Work Of Ancient Architect

The oldest house plan in the world, an ancient architect's drawing discovered in Mesopotamia, has been placed on exhibition. About four thousand years old, it shows the ground plan of a large house of 17 rooms. Details are shown in accurate and close-by drawn lines.

Preacher (at wedding): "Does anybody know why these two should not be wedded?"  
Bride's Father: "Well, outside of the fact that he hasn't got a job and she can't cook, I guess it's all right!"

Johnny—"How long after I've taken on the anaesthetic will I know anything?"  
Doctor—"Now, my boy, don't expect too much from an anaesthetic."

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### Speeding Up Air Mail

#### Landing Place For Planes On Large Post Offices Is Suggested

The future becomes the present with a speed at times that is bewildering. Artists' conception of cities-to-be, with landing places for airplanes on the roofs of tall buildings, have not yet lost their fantastic look, and here we are reading about plans for the new Chicago post-office which includes a place for mail planes to stop and start. Recent progress in the mechanical development of planes make it appear that the use of such landing places will shortly be feasible without our having to wait for the helicopter. One of New York's great new postal buildings is also expected to have such a landing place, and there is a suggestion that new structures to be erected in several other large cities be similarly equipped. Air mail has become as much a part of our daily lives as the use of any other convenience for speeding up communications, and there is no reason to doubt that the planes which must now hop off and land at long distances from postoffices will be able to pick up and deliver letters and packages direct.

### Webfoot Dogs Prize Winners

#### Abyssinian Sand Terriers Create Sensation At London Show

Two dogs with webbed feet and hairless bodies that had travelled to England in a crate of snakes newly arrived from Africa were the sensation of the \$500,000 Kennel Club show at Crystal Palace, London, Eng. L. Cura, who won second prize in the foreign dogs section with them, explained that they had jumped out of a crate in which he had received a consignment of pythons, the snakes being too torpid to eat them. He discovered later that they were Abyssinian Sand Terriers, whose webbed feet enable them to "swim" in the sand of the Abyssinian Desert. But they look more like giant rats.



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Put a city man, for example, in the middle of the prairies without help—a compass, the sun, signposts, or other aids—he would be lost. We have no "homing sense," says a writer in *Ti-Hits*.

Doves have been sold, taken by train a hundred or more miles, and then, footsore and emaciated, have returned. So have horses and cats. Pigeons are taken in baskets long distances from their lofts, and when released fly home.

In an effort to solve the mystery of this homing sense, experiments have been made with bees. We talk of making a bee-line from one place to another, and thereby pay a compliment to bees for knowing where they want to go and getting there without deviation, but how they do it has probably not interested us. It seems established that they use their antennae—the "feelers" at their heads—to measure the angles and turns in their outward flight, and by some marvellous system of memory-registration they take the "bee-line" back.

Another theory—and this would account for the mystery of dogs' extraordinary pilgrimages—is that there are actual lines in the air, millions of them, each with a distinctive and recognizable quality, either electrical, odorous, or something at present unknown. The fact remains, however, that bees return on a direct line; that homing pigeons, of poor and short sight, circle to find a "line" and then take it; and that dogs, paddling through unknown country, will stand and apparently sniff for the "line".

The snail may be for smell, or for contact with the mysterious "line" which on its length, a hundred miles distant, has their home. The absorbing interest of all this lies in the possibility of giving, or restoring, the "homing sense" to man. Soon we may all be flying, and if the devices used at present by aviators to get locality and direction were unnecessary because pilots had but to pick up an "air line" and follow it, the dangers and difficulties of aerial navigation would vanish. Bees will show us the way to get home!

If the lamb tried to follow Mary today it would most certainly have to step on the gas.

Friends are almost as scarce as umbrellas when they are needed.

### Cannot Be Explained

#### Why Heavy Rain Falls After a Battle Is Mystery

Among the many ideas and hypotheses advanced during the war was one, not so unreasonable as many others, that the violent rain storms occurring after a battle were caused by the explosion of high powered ordnance. Soldiers and scientists noticed the storms, noted that they followed the explosions, and many of them saw in this sequence a case of cause and effect.

But in the year 101 B.C., after the battle of Aix, where Caius Marius slew more than 100,000 Teutons, the same phenomenon occurred. Indeed, rain fell so hard, the story goes, that the inhabitants became enervated because the earth was fertilized "by the moisture of the purified bodies." Having noted these facts, Plutarch proceeds to philosophize as follows:—

"It is an observation, also, that extraordinary rains pretty generally fell after great battles, whether it be that some divine power thus washes and cleanses the polluted earth with showers from above, or that moist and heavy exhalations, steaming forth from the blood and corruption, thicken the air, which naturally is subject to alteration from the smallest causes."

The observation, therefore, was old even in Plutarch's time, and that was many hundred years before gunpowder was used in warfare. The explosion theory is simply a random explanation for an old generalization. It is a striking example of the human tendency to see cause and effect behind even phenomena that happen to succeed one another closely.

What is the connection between the meteorological disturbances of Caius Marius's time and those of the World War. Nobody knows. Maybe our scientists, aided by the new discoveries of our irrepressible aviators, will find an explanation of this phenomena applicable both to our time and that of the old Roman general. Then again, rain after battle may simply be another mere coincidence, like so much else that is puzzling in life, attracting attention when it comes, ignored when it fails to appear.

### Celebrate Radium Wedding

Everybody has heard or read of silver, golden, and diamond weddings. A new expression has been coined by the French to designate the seventieth anniversary of a marriage. This is known as the Radium Wedding, and an old couple, Monsieur and Madame Clerland, who were both born in 1836 in a small town in Clermont, have just celebrated that important event.

## Estimated That 70 Per Cent. Of New Arrivals In Canada Are Engaging In Agriculture

### Has Strange Hobby

#### Toledo Man Fashions Life Size Biblical Figures From Concrete

Laboring with trowel and mortar for nearly a decade, Cassius M. Hettinger, Toledo real estate dealer, has surrounded his home with life size figures portraying Bible lore. He fashions them of concrete and covers them with gleaming shells.

He is engaged now in building a scene of the Last Supper and estimates it will require several years to mold the twelve disciples and the Master seated around the table.

A deeply religious man, Hettinger declares he received a vision twelve years ago which bade him undertake the work of creating Bible scenes.

Hundreds of tourists annually visit his home on the outskirts of Toledo. He says he has refused many offers to sell the collection of figures.

He travelled for two years from coast to coast seeking a particular shade and size of shell, and finally located the kind he wanted on the beach of Lake Erie several miles from his home.

A life size camel, being led to water by Zachariah, the tax collector, was the last effigy constructed by him. It required six months work.

Daniel in the lion's den and Jacob's well, with Rebecca's pitcher beside it, are other Biblical scenes he has represented.

Almost every inch of the walls of the inside of his home is covered with canvases he has painted in extended trips over the country. At times, he says, he works as long as three days and nights without stopping to sleep. Considered wealthy, Hettinger forsakes his business for months at a time while engaged in erecting the Biblical scenes.

### British Engineers Are Awake

#### More Than Match Other Nations In Mechanical Skill

While the long distance honors of the air have this summer mainly orientated in the direction of the U.S. airmen there are other honors which that country, with its more or less faded reputation for speed in everything, would be glad to possess in perpetuity. Instead, they have fallen to Great Britain.

A few months ago Major Seagrave, a son of British parents, drove a British car at a speed of 203 miles an hour.

A British-built seaplane won the Schneider cup with an average speed of 281 miles an hour. Both these records are a long way ahead of anything achieved by any other nation.

The globe is sometimes made that the Old Country is a bit "slow" in many ways. Those marks, however, show that British engineers are fully awake, and that Britain still has brains and mechanical skill more than a match for the rest of the world.

Incidentally, it may be observed that the British machine which won the Schneider cup travelled at a speed of 257.75 miles an hour for some parts of the distance. Bearing in mind that the machine was a seaplane, designed for landing on water when necessary, the result of this race strongly supports the contention that only seaplanes should be permitted to essay Atlantic flights.

At the average speed of the British seaplane, it could have crossed the Atlantic in something less than half the time Lindbergh took to fly from New York to Paris.

### Possibilities Of Sheep Farming

#### Room In British Columbia For Many Thousands More

There is room for two million sheep in British Columbia, and at present there are around 100,000 only in the Province. Even that small total is double what the sheep total was two years ago. At Duncan, Vancouver Island, where the first sheep fair in the province was held recently, attention was drawn to the possibilities of sheep farming. T. P. Mackenzie, grazing commissioner, said logged-off lands could maintain many sheep and that there were 60,000 acres of such lands burned over last year in British Columbia, half of which were adjacent to Vancouver Island. He said, however, that the "average" farmer has to yield twice this season and thus halved the honey crop, is good feed for sheep.

Baxter: "Were your wife's reducing exercises a success?"

Harlow: "Were they a success? Why, she's just made an evening gown out of one of her old silk stockings!"

In a study of immigration to Canada for the first six months of 1927, just issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway, the total of immigrants is given as 197,350, as compared with 70,555 in 1926, an increase of 131,377, or 52 per cent. for the 1927 period. British immigration increased from 27,849 to 34,474, or by 23 per cent.; that from the United States from 10,937 to 11,534, or by nearly 15 per cent.; and that from other countries from 32,567 to 61,382, or by nearly 90 per cent. Analysis of immigration to the Dominion for the first three months of the present fiscal year, from March to June, reveals the English as making the greatest individual contribution to Canadian population in the period, followed by the Scotch, citizens of the United States, Lithuanian, German, Irish, Polish, Magyar, Slovak, Norwegian, and Finnish. The States of the Union to send the greatest numbers to the Dominion were Michigan, New York, Washington, Minnesota, California, and Massachusetts.

"The value of present-day immigration to Canada," says the report of the survey, "is to be gauged from the fact that of the new arrivals in the period nearly 70 per cent. went into the agricultural industry either by way of the employment or actual ownership. This is reflected in greater land sales in rising figures of home-stead entries. Filings on homestead lands in the Western Provinces in the first six months of 1927 totalled 8,069 as compared with 2,834 for the period of 1926, this accounting for the occupation of approximately half a million acres of virgin land. Of the 1927 filings, 1,385 were in Saskatchewan, 1,283 in Manitoba, 368 in Alberta, and 38 in British Columbia.

"Foremost in accomplishment among the land settlement agencies has been the Canada Colonization Association, which in the first six months of 1927 was responsible for placing 401 families on 97,944 acres of land in Western Canada. Rapidly the work of this agency has increased and the scope of its activities broadened upon successful achievement. Confined in operation in the first place to the Prairie Provinces, where its work is still growing in importance, it has entered into the colonization field in British Columbia with gratifying results.

### Royal Botanic Gardens Possesses Old Plant

#### Scientists Calculate It Is At Least Thousand Years Old

The Royal Botanic Gardens, Regent's Park, London, possesses a plant that was old at the time of the Norman Conquest.

A native of South Africa, where it is commonly called "Kaffir bread," it is known to botanists by the formidable title of *acrostichum distentifolium*. By comparing the number of the leaf scars on the trunk with the number of fronds produced annually, scientists have calculated that it is at least 1,000 years old, and may be much older.

It gets practically no nourishment from outside, but carries within itself a supply of both food and water, and it is due to the fact of these being used by the Kaffirs in times of scarcity that the plant owes its popular name.

### Not Much Difference

He was an elder of his kirk in a small Scottish town, and had consulted a specialist about his health. Told that he had a floating kidney he as much disturbed, for the complaint had all the terror of mystery.

He went to the minister of his church with a request that the prayers of the congregation might be offered.

"I don't know," said the minister. "I'm afraid that at the mention of a floating kidney the congregation might laugh."

"I see nothing to laugh at," replied the sufferer. "It was only last Sabbath that you prayed for loose livers."

### New Zealand Butter Coming

The first shipment of New Zealand butter to Canada, this season, is on its way and arrangements for regular shipments to the West during the winter months have been made, both by Vancouver and Atlantic sea ports. Prices are expected to be around 30 cents a pound f.o.b. New Zealand.

There is more affection in a \$1 cotton umbrella than in a \$10 silk one—at least it abides with the original owner longer.

Understanding is the path that leads to forgiveness.



### Meets Mary Queen of Scots

A cameraman who had just arrived at Banff, Alberta to "cover" the Scottish Musical Festival staged at the Banff Springs Hotel recently was strutting through the hotel grounds, drinking in the beauty of the surrounding mountains, when, in a picturesque corner of the gardens, he came upon the most romantic figure in Scottish history—Mary Queen of Scots. She was standing on the flagstone walk toying with some flowers and when she saw him, smiled at the astonished man just as the real Queen would have smiled several hundred years ago.

Recovering from the shock the cameraman did not take long in adjusting his trusty camera and the result, reproduced above, is a charming study of Miss Francis James who impersonated the famous Queen during three-day Festival at Banff.

Studying hard?  
Boys and Girls  
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**SCOTT'S EMULSION**

### WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Amnesty for 800 prisoners on the occasion of President Von Hindenburg's eightieth birthday has been requested by the German League for Human Rights.

When the Niagara left Auckland, N.Z. recently, she took 5,600 boxes of butter for Vancouver and 1,100 for Victoria. She had a quantity also for Honolulu and Shanghai, the total shipment being 8,232 boxes.

Explosion of a German howitzer shell, used to decorate the doorway at the Villa of Gen. Doherty, governor of Strasbourg, killed Charles G. Tallo, the governor's man servant, and wounded the man cook.

By January 1928, the Department of Health will have 20 physicians in European cities inspecting immigrants who are about to leave for Canada. The department expects by this new policy to relieve the difficulties at Canadian ports.

Canada's election to a seat on the council of the League of Nations has added greatly to the prestige of this country in the eyes of Europeans, states Lieut.-Col. C. P. Meredith, secretary of the League of Nations Society of Canada, who has returned from a lengthy European tour.

An official statement shows that between 1881 and 1921 Australia's population increased 141 per cent, as compared with an increase of 103 per cent in the population of Canada. Between 1921 and 1926 the increase in the two countries was 11 per cent, and 8 per cent, respectively.

It is reported that the Booth farm, adjoining the central experimental farm at Ottawa, has been purchased by the Dominion Government to enlarge the experimental farm. The deal is understood to involve some 400 acres, for which the government is paying the Booth estate in the neighborhood of \$200,000.

All that has been recovered of the giant monoplane, Old Glory, lost with its three occupants in an unsuccessful attempt to fly to Rome is contained in a small plain box 8 x 8 x 4. The wreckage, consisting of tangled wire, a wheel of the landing gear and three battered gas-tanks, was found on the steamer Kyie, 650 miles off Newfoundland.

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### Find Baffin Land Smaller Than Believed

Explorers Cut 5,000 Square Miles From Supposed Area

Extremely dirty weather and very bad ice conditions have obtained all summer in the far North, according to members of the Putnam-Baffin Island expedition.

"Out of two months we had only eight days fine weather," George P. Putnam, director of the expedition, said. "Almost all of our work, which this time was mainly geographical had to be carried out in fog, wind or dirty weather. Nevertheless we clipped five thousand square miles from the supposed area of Baffin Land. I, myself, sailed in a whale boat over hundreds of miles of what has hitherto been set down on the maps as land, but is really water."

It's conditions are wretched and the tides in Fox Bay, where the ships spent most of their time, were so strong that ice was carried past at the rate of seven knots an hour. The Putnam expedition is believed to have been the first to traverse this region since its original discovery by Fox, an Englishman, in 1831.

Two serious accidents also marred the summer. The ship bent her propeller and broke her tail shaft in some ice, and later ran aground on an uncharted shore, but was refloated again without much damage.

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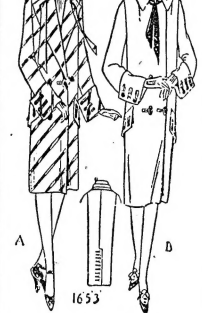
Recent Tests Made In England Place Iridium First

Iridium, a metallic element in the same chemical group as platinum, and often used as the tip for fountain pens, is the hardest pure metal, according to tests recently made by A. Mallock, and announced in an English scientific magazine. Molybdenum is the hardest, with tungsten third. Nickel is the hardest of common metals, as it ranks fifth, the rare metal rhodium coming up fourth.

These refer only to pure metallic elements, for some alloys, such as steel with a high percentage of carbon, rank higher than any. The softest of the metals tested proved to be thallium, as it ranked No. 21, lead being 23 and tin 22. Gold is 18, silver 15; palladium, which is in the same group as platinum and iridium, 14, aluminum 12, copper 11, and iron 10.



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A Smart New Coat

The coat pictured here is an unusually smart design as well as being practical and comfortable. There is a seam at the centre back, a large convertible collar, wide cuffs, and two side pockets with flaps. The use of contrasting or matching material is decidedly chic, and buttons make an attractive trimming. Fur may be added to the collar and cuffs, thereby adding warmth for cooler days. No. 1653 is in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44, inches bust. Size 36 requires 4 1/2 yards 36-inch, or 3 yards 54-inch material, and 2 1/2 yards 36-inch lining. Price—20 cents the pattern.

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### Testing Out New Apparatus

Germany Believes Automatic Mail Box Will Facilitate Work

A mail box which automatically weighs, franks, and stamps letters is now being tested in Germany. Dropping a letter or postcard into the box, the sender inserts coins covering the postage into a slot and pulls a lever. The fact that the postage is then paid is printed on the face of the envelope or card by an ink type printer. Change is returned to the meter by the apparatus in the form of postage stamps. It is believed the introduction of the invention will result in a large saving for the post office and expedite the transportation of mail.

### Airplane Service In Hawaii

What promises to be a forerunner of commercial aviation in Hawaii is the establishment of an airplane service for visitors who desire to see the islands from the air. Regular flights are made over the various islands.

The case with which corns and warts can be removed by Holloway's Corn Remover is its strongest recommendation. It seldom fails.

A merchant in Berlin has placed a switch outside his store so that persons wishing to see the display in his windows at night can turn the lights on.

### Says Cloudy Weather Increases Influenza

Disease Is Not Contagious Is Opinion Of Iowa Doctor

Weather plays an important part in influenza epidemics, cloudy and humid days increasing and hastening the propagation of the disease organisms, with the consequent spread of the disease. Dr. W. H. Seymour, of Charles City, Iowa, declared in an address before the annual convention of the American Electronic Research Association at Chicago.

Exhaustive research work would indicate that the infecting organism of the disease is air-borne Dr. Seymour said, as opposed to the prevailing opinion that influenza is a contagious disease.

The fact that nearly all the sailors on board certain ships hundreds of miles from land, have been attacked by this malady on the same day, and furthermore, simultaneously with thousands of the population on land cannot be satisfactorily explained by the theory of contagion," he said.

Light, natural and artificial, easily and quickly destroys influenza organisms, Dr. Seymour said. It is being used with much success in hospitals and in personal practice.

### Formula For Making Gold

Inventor Is Sure His Process Has Commercial Value

"A new formula has been discovered for making synthetic gold by chemical means."

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### SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 16

ELIJAH IN NABOTH'S VINEYARD

Golden Text: "Be sure your sin will find you out."—Numbers 32:23.

Lesson: 1 Kings 21.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 94, 17-23.

### Explanations and Comments

I. A Covetous and Pettish King, verses 1-4.—Near Ahab's place in Jerusalem was a vineyard which the king coveted. He tried to buy it, but Naboth, its owner, would not part with his inheritance. See the law in Lev. 25:24. The petulant king unexpectedly thwarted in his wish, like a spoiled child entered his palace, threw himself on his couch and refused to eat.

What an example of the state of mind of one who gives way to selfish desires! What a small matter for a king to get into a state about! And on what small matters men and women often set their hearts and become miserable because they are unattainable!

—A. L. Meyer.

II. Masterful and Wicked Queen, verses 5-10.—Jezebel inspired the cause of Ahab's displeasure, and learned that Naboth had refused to sell or exchange his vineyard, which Ahab wished for an herb garden. Jezebel asked him if it in truth he ruled Israel, if he was too weak to get what he wanted, she would get it for him.

So Jezebel wrote letters, which she signed with the king's seal, and sent them to the elders and nobles bidding them procure a fast (which would give a pretext for a public assembly), send Naboth in a prominent place, have ready two witnesses to swear that they heard Naboth curse God and the king, and then have him carried without the city and stoned to death.

"How potent a woman's influence is for good or ill; but an evil woman will more quickly debauch her husband."

### Not An Envious Job

Royalty Differs On Whether Position Is Enjoyable Or Not

Queen Marie's view, expressed in an article in a Rumanian magazine, that Royal blood is a curse, would doubtless be subscribed to by the majority of monarchs.

It is not long ago that King Alfonso told an interviewer that Royalty is not a vocation one would choose. On the other hand, there can be no doubt but that several British monarchs have enjoyed themselves on the whole.

King Edward, for instance, gave the impression that he thoroughly liked the "king business." Certainly Queen Elizabeth performed her duties with the greatest gusto, and another British Queen, Mary II, scandalized some people by the way she romped through the palace, prodigiously pleased with herself. And there is a delightful pen picture of William IV., showing his delight in all the uniforms he had to wear, particularly the high spurs he put on even when he was not riding. Queen Victoria took pride and pleasure in her duties from the outset, though there were signs that after 50 years she began to tire of them.

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## MEXICO STILL IN THROES OF SERIOUS REVOLT

Mexico City.—The stalemate roll of the firing squad continues to echo through Mexico, but despite summary retribution exacted by the Government, reports from many points indicated a continuance of revolutionary movements.

General Alfredo Quijano, commander of cavalry in the Mexico City garrison, as taken virtually from the court-martial chamber in which he was convicted to face a firing squad.

General Alfredo Rueda Quijano was also executed. The general, who was convicted of leading his troops in rebellion against the Government, after an eight-hour trial, was shot by a firing squad in the courtyard of the San Lazaro military prison.

In Morelos, 15 members of the State Legislature were shot as sympathizers of the Gomez-Serrano revolt.

Despatches to the American border announce that the Mexican treasury had called upon fiscal agents throughout the Republic to transfer available funds to the capital to meet the increased expenses of military operations.

Mexican naval vessels at Vera Cruz prepared to depart on an unannounced mission.

Railroad rolling stock has been concentrated around Vera Cruz, for the use of the federal military in operations towards Orizaba, indicating a new focal point of unrest there, and disruption of traffic on the Mexican railway has been heightened by the incursion of a rebel group at Pasco Nago.

## Newly Minted Coins

### Will Purchase Grain

Are Now On Way From London To South America

London.—The Blue Star liner Alameda, now on her way to South America, is carrying for a large English and South American grain company 500,000 newly minted sovereigns, which are to be temporarily lodged in Buenos Ayres against the purchase of Argentine grain. The gold, which weighs 3,550 pounds, represents approximately two-thirds the value of the new luxury liner in which it is carried.

The Alameda left London recently, and the gold was shipped so quickly that few people were aware of the unusual nature of the cargo. It was collected from the Bank of England in two motor vans and conveyed to North Woolwich. Two detective inspectors accompanied each van as far as King George V. dock, and relinquished custody as soon as the hundred boxes, in which the coins were carried, had been handed over to the ship's authorities.

The boxes were placed in a special safe in one of the Alameda's holds, which was then sealed with the captain's seal. The seals will be inspected every watch throughout the voyage.

## Drumheller Miner Killed

Was Buried Under Heavy Fall Of Rock From Mine Roof

Drumheller, Alta.—George Young, a well-known miner at the A.B.C. mine here, was killed by a fall of rock while on duty.

Claude Tenny, working in the entry room next to the unfortunate man, heard the fall of rock and called out to Young, asking him if he was all right. Hearing no answer he called again with the same result and then left his entry to investigate. He found about two tons and a half of rock had fallen from the roof, burying Young beneath it.

Calling for help to remove the rock, Kenny got A. J. Briggs, Jack MacNell, Frank, Henry, and Stanley Smith to help him. These men pried up the rock and brought Young out of the mine. When the rock was raised off Young's body he was still breathing but died before reaching the surface.

## Will Erect Hospital

Montreal.—Mayor K. W. Freehand Kendrick, of Philadelphia, founder, with his wife, of shrimpers' hospitals throughout the United States and Canada, said in an interview here that another shrimpers' hospital would be erected somewhere on the Canadian Pacific coast in the near future, Victoria or Vancouver are the possible sites.

Outside the British Isles there are fewer than eleven million white people in the thirteen million square miles of the British Empire.

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## Plan Might Be Feasible

Idea Suggested By U.S. Professor To Aid Farmers

Urbana, Ill.—The means of giving the farmer a fairer break in competition with the world price of farm products have been outlined by Professor C. L. Steward, chief of agricultural economics at the University of Illinois.

Prof. Steward has suggested a \$200,000,000 bounty to be paid the exporters of agricultural products from present tariff income. He would place the wheat crop of the United States under the control of a board, which would export one fifth of the crop and tax the remainder of the rate of 10 cents a bushel to meet the deficiency in the price received for the exported wheat.

In the first place, he said, the tariff rate was now so high that import of foreign goods has been greatly reduced. If the rate were cut the increased importation would so increase tariff revenue that the bounty would be paid without loss of government funds.

## National Council Of Women

Annual Convention Is Held At Stratford, Ont.

Stratford.—The causes being championed by the National Council of Women were outlined by Mrs. J. A. Wilson, of Ottawa, president, at the opening session of the annual convention here. These included the prevention of the causes of war; the stamping out of all unjust laws; the upholding of an equal moral standard for all; and an equal opportunity for all to develop to the fullest extent their physical, moral and mental powers.

Mrs. Wilson was honored with a life membership in the organization, smaller awards being given to Miss Caroline Carmichael and Mrs. H. I. Rowatt, of Ottawa, and Mrs. M. L. Robertson, of Saskatoon.

## Fliers Complete Journey

Covered Twenty-Two Thousand Miles In Six Weeks

Detroit, Mich.—Completing a 22,000 mile journey in six weeks, Edward F. Schlee and William S. Brock arrived at Ford Airport in the around the world monoplane, Pride of the Schlee, stepped from the plane first and was greeted enthusiastically by his wife.

Although two women claimed him while he was gone, there was no woman to greet the co-pilot. The airmen were welcomed by Henry and Edsel Ford, Eddie Rickman, and Edward S. Evans, joint holder of the globe circling record of 23 days and 14 hours, which Schlee and Brock tried to lower.

May Develop Power Scheme  
Prince Albert.—President H. M. Sibbald, of the Board of Trade has informed the members, that an electric firm is looking into the Lacelle Falls power scheme with a view of developing it to provide electric light and power for Prince Albert and Saskatoon. Mr. Sibbald also reports interviewing Hon. C. A. Dunning in connection with the completion of the railway line between St. Paul des Metis, and St. Walburg. This matter will be brought to the attention of the Government at its next session.

## Test Legality Of Betting

London.—A batch of summonses to test the legality of betting on greyhound racing will be heard October 28. The principal instigators in the prosecution are the National Anti-Gambling League and the chief defendants are the Greyhound Racing Association, lessees of the Stadium at the White City.

## Japan May Send Troops

Tokyo.—The Japanese government is seriously considering the sending of troops from Manchuria to Peking and Tientsin if the situation in the Chinese civil war becomes worse, a spokesman for the Japanese war office declared. In the meantime the government is closely watching developments.

## Hertzog Attacks Smuts

Bloemfontein, South Africa.—Premier Hertzog, of the South African Union, speaking at a meeting in the town hall here, on the flag issue, bitterly attacked General Smuts, leader of the opposition, who had accused of overturning the truth and fostering racial strife and discord for his own political ends.

## Received Legion Delegates

The King held a reception in Buckingham Palace for the American Legion delegation on the official five-day visit to London of the United States war veterans. His Majesty received the legionnaires, headed by General Pershing and O. P. Savage, retiring national commander.

## Congratulated By Prince

Canadian War Graves Commission

Ottawa.—The interest manifested by the Prince of Wales in veterans of the Great War, during his visits to Canada, has been indicated in news despatches. That he also has noted and appreciated the work being done in Canada to commemorate the memory of those veterans who died and are buried in the Dominion is indicated in a letter received by Col. H. C. Osborne, secretary-general for Canada of the Imperial War Graves' commission. This letter, written by direction of the prince, congratulates the Canadian agency of the War Graves' commission on the work, and expresses appreciation for the memory of the soldiers who are buried in Canada as being preserved in the various burial grounds.

## Marriage Rate Is High

More Marriages In Alberta In 1926 Than For Previous Five Year Average

Edmonton.—The year 1926 proved to be the highest year in Alberta, compared with the five preceding years, according to figures issued by Donald Mackie, deputy registrar general for Alberta. There were 4,495 marriages registered during the year, which is 35 more than in the preceding year, and 184 more than the average of the five preceding years.

Edmonton had 1,063 marriages; Calgary, 1,004; Lethbridge, 394; and Medicine Hat, 115. There were 102 brides 16 years of age and under, 1,039 brides between 17 and 19, and 1,842 brides between 20 and 24. There were 17 brides and 45 grooms over 60 years of age, 11 of the grooms and two of the brides being over 70 years.

## PREPARE PLANS FOR CONFERENCE OF PREMIERS

Ottawa.—Plans for the inter-provincial conference, otherwise known as the conference of Provincial Premiers, which will meet at Ottawa, November 3, are rapidly taking shape. Arrangements are in the hands of Hon. Ferdinand Blarney, secretary of state, and while no details of the agenda will be disclosed until the time for the conference arrives, it is known to include many matters of wide and far-reaching interest and effect. At the suggestion of the secretary of state, provincial governments have submitted questions on practically the full range of provincial jurisdiction under the British North American Act, and federal departments have supplemented these with questions of Dominion concern which also have a bearing on provincial affairs.

The conference should produce a unification of practice on many problems of inter-provincial concern, such as companies law, insurance practice, etc., and should result in important decisions operating to the benefit of each of the provinces as well as to the Dominion.

More effective co-ordination between provinces and between the Dominion and provinces is one assured result. The conference will be fully open to the discussion of any and all problems of interest and concern and should, it is felt here, result in material benefit to the Dominion at large.

## A CHAMPION IN THE MAKING



Miss "Patsy" McKenna, daughter of Ned McKenna, professional of the Minaki Lodge Golf Course, of the Canadian National Railway, on the Winnipeg River, Ontario, is

going to be a champion like her "Dad." She believes in the axiom "Practice makes perfect," so she has begun early to take lessons from "Dad," and is already something of a stylist.

## Toc H Movement



Men, not money, is what he wants, says Pedro Harry H. Killian, one of the chief missionaries of the Toc H movement, touring Canada in the interests of the organization. The name of the movement, already firmly established in Great Britain, in Australia, in South Africa and other parts of the world, is an abbreviation of Talbot House, a famous institution in Poperinge, near Ypres, during the war. He is one of the best known personalities in Great Britain and is affectionately known by many throughout the British Empire as "Uncle Harry."

## Declares Soviet Rule Will Be Short Lived

Does Not Represent Russian People Says Oil Magnate

New York.—Sir Henri W. A. Deterding, of London, director-general of the Royal Dutch Petroleum Company who has been recently engaged in a bitter controversy with the Standard Oil Company of New York over control of Russian wells, predicted through his New York representative that the Soviet government would be short-lived.

Sir Henri asserted that the Soviet government, which has taken over natural industries and resources, did not represent the Russian people. Recalling that in June, 1918, the Soviet authorities confiscated the oil fields, refineries, machinery, stocks and assets, Sir Henri added:

"Politically this is confiscation; practically all of these objects were stolen, not by representatives of the people, but by a gang who, by controlling the army had usurped the power to do anything which would not have been tolerated otherwise," he declared.

## Australian Tariff Trouble

Canberra, Australia.—The imposition of increased tariffs on certain classes of imports, is condemned by the tariff board which has just reported to the Commonwealth Parliament on its enquiry into tariff matters. Instead of improving the Commonwealth's industries, the report states, such tariffs have resulted in stagnation and increased cost of production and living.

## Builds Motorless 'Plane

Cocoa, Fla.—A motorless flying craft has been built here by George R. White, of Stony Brook, L.I. The machine looks like a giant eagle and its wings beat the air like a bird's. It is called an ornithopter and has made short flights successfully.

## How Money Is Expended

Federal Minister Of Finance Shows Division Of Per Capita Levy

Ottawa.—From each person in Canada \$34.60 is collected annually by the Dominion Government, Hon. J. A. Robb, Federal Minister of Finance, stated in an address to the Women's Liberal Club at a meeting in the Canadian Legion Hall.

Of this sum, \$13 goes to pay the interest on the national debt; \$4.20 to make possible a reduction of this debt; \$5.70 to provide pensions for disabled soldiers, widows and orphans; \$1.25 to the Provincial Governments; \$1 for collection; three cents to the actual administration of the country; and \$11.45 for such things as the maintenance of railways and canals, inspection of food-stuffs, expenses of trade agents, colonization efforts, and administration of law and order.

## Research Conference

Imperial Agricultural Research Conference Held In London

London.—The Imperial Agricultural Research Conference, the first of its kind ever held in Great Britain, has assembled here. About 200 delegates from throughout the empire will study animal and plant breeding, preservation and transport of foods, development of soils and fertilizers with the aim of making the empire completely self-sufficient.

The establishment of research stations throughout the empire and organization of a flying corps of scientists, who could be called upon by any Dominion or colony to attack agricultural problems, will be considered.

Minister of Agriculture, Walter W. Guinness, welcomed the delegates to the conference and Lord Bledisloe was appointed chairman.

## More Settlers Wanted

### For Lethbridge District

Fifty Families Needed To Complete Colony In Irrigation Area

Lethbridge.—According to the Provincial Government, fifty families are wanted to complete the colonizing of the Lethbridge Northern Irrigation District. There are now 900 families in the project, of which 500 have been established within the past two years. In 1924 the district's agricultural production was valued at \$668,000; in 1925, \$1,315,000; and in 1926, \$1,536,000. This year it is estimated produce from Lethbridge northern farms is worth \$2,500,000.

## Students Found Joke Costly

Seniors At Ontario Agricultural College Taught A Lesson

Guelph, Ont.—Sophomores of the Ontario Agricultural College found a prank on the freshmen very expensive.

While the first year students were at a dance, the seniors soaked the freshmen's dormitories with water and ruined about \$400 worth of good clothing. The college authorities have compelled the sophomores to pay for the damage and in addition have forced them to pay board bills for two weeks, expelling them from residence for that period.

## BRITISH PEER DENOUNCES THE HOUSE OF LORDS

Blackpool, England.—The exhilarating spectacle of a peer denouncing his own legislative chamber in good set terms, was presented at the Labor Party conference here, by Lord Arnold, who, as Sidney Arnold, was a Liberal member of the House of Commons for some time. He went over to the Labor Party in 1922, and was Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, in the late Labor Government, in 1924, and was created a peer the same year.

"The House of Lords will never give the Labor Party a fair chance, because it is blind to the signs of the times," Lord Arnold declared. "It is callous, inconsistent, insensitive, selfish, cynical, obstructive, unscrupulous and utterly reactionary."

"It has been said by an august Liberal that to go and look at the Lords is enough. I, myself, after three and one half years' experience in the Lords, would say that to be in it is more than enough.

These sentiments were expressed by the Labor peer while he was seconding a resolution condemning the House of Lords for its opposition to the reform of the House of Lords, and urging the complete abolition of the Upper House.

The resolution was carried.

## EARLY ELECTIONS IN BRITAIN ARE NOT PROBABLE

Cardiff, Wales.—In a speech delivered at the Conservative Party Conference here, Premier Baldwin entered into a general defence of his Government's policy and welcomed the new note struck in the recent Trades Union Congress proclaiming faith in the policy of joint consultation in settling or avoiding Labor disputes, but he gave no hope for an early general election.

On the contrary, he spoke calmly of "the next two years of Conservative Government."

The Prime Minister said he personally would not hesitate to accept the Opposition's challenge of an appeal to the country, but he thought the country's interests required a period of repose after three general elections in as many years.

Regarding trade prospects, Premier Baldwin said the country's trade had a sheet anchor in the gold standard and there was no cause for pessimism.

"I refuse to hang my hat on a weeping willow," he exclaimed.

Concerning the reform of the House of Lords, the Premier promised the Government would consider its policy in the autumn and announce its decision later in the year.

A motion endorsing votes for women at the age of 21 instead of 30 years was adopted by a big majority.

## A Glorious Heritage

Says Canadians Have Reason To Be Proud Of Their Country

Edmonton.—"All across Canada, from one coast to the other, I have found a wonderful spirit of optimism and confidence. This is one of Canada's big years, and here in the West, with this huge crop of Alberta is harvesting, that spirit of optimism should be the strongest," declared Hon. Sir A. E. Cross, K.C.M.G., minister of militia and defence, and minister of overseas forces of Canada, in the late Borden Government, who was an Edmonton visitor en route from Victoria to Toronto.

"Nine millions of us share the most glorious heritage it was ever the lot of any nation to inherit," said Sir A. E. Cross. "It is a wonderful privilege to be one of that nine million and each and every one of us should be proud today to be able to call ourselves Canadians."

## Canadian Is Elected

Receives Office Of Vice-Chairman At International Radio Conference

Washington.—Canada was elected vice-chairman of committee of the whole by the international radio conference at the first business meeting. The result will be that the senior Canadian delegate will be asked to preside over the convention meetings when Chairman Herbert Hoover cannot attend. This may happen often since Mr. Hoover is one of the busiest men in the United States cabinet.

Canada's senior delegate is Alexander Johnston, deputy minister of marine and fisheries at Ottawa.

## Ten-Year-Old Robs Mail

Escanaba, Mich.—Authorities are wondering what to make of the case of ten-year-old Ellen Miner, who, classified as a mail robber because she broke into the National Bank's postal box and threw away \$75,000 in cheques. She admitted taking the mail, prying open all the letters, and throwing them away when she failed to find the pretty pictures she was seeking.

## New Market For B.C. Apples

Salmon Arm, B.C.—A new market for British Columbia Wealthy apples has been opened up by an order to the Associated Growers from South America. Salmon Arm local has been called upon to fulfill part of the order which will be shipped via New York. Salmon Arm has also received a repeat order from South Africa.

## Ask Recall Of Soviet Ambassador

Paris.—M. Briand, French Foreign Minister, sent instructions to Jean Herbeten, French ambassador to Moscow, to inform the French Government how long considered Christian Rakovsky persona grata and desired that a new Soviet ambassador be sent to Paris.

## Women Not Eligible For Senate

Ottawa.—So far as it could be ascertained, the official view at Ottawa of the results for appointment of women to the Senate of Canada is that the British North America Act did not contemplate such appointments and that women are not eligible for appointments to the Senate.

## B. C. Adopts Pensions Scheme

First Province to Participate in Old Age Pensions Plan

Old age pensions will become operative in British Columbia immediately, under an order-in-council approved by the deputy governor-general. Announcement to this effect has been made by Hon. Peter Heenan, Minister of Labor.

The order-in-council gives full sanction to the carrying out of an agreement entered into by Mr. Heenan and A. M. Mansel, Minister of Labor for British Columbia, by which the province comes under the old age pensions legislation passed at the last session of parliament.

British Columbia is the first province to participate in the Federal plan. A similar agreement, Mr. Heenan stated, would, however, be entered into with the Yukon, probably on the arrival of Gold Commissioner Percy Reid, next fall.

Mr. Reid has been authorized by the Yukon to sign the agreement, Manitoba and Saskatchewan have also made recent enquiries respecting the procedure to be adopted by their respective legislatures in order to join in the dominion scheme of old age pensions.

The agreement provides that on and after September 1, British Columbia will pay a maximum pension to those of its residents who have attained the age of 70 years and are pensionable under the Federal Old Age Pensions Act. The Dominion Government, on the other hand, is bound to pay to British Columbia quarterly, one-half of the amount paid by the province in pensions during each three months preceding.

Enquiries received at the Department of Labor indicate that, in certain instances, the old age pensions scheme is not properly understood. In brief the act provides that any province may elect to come under the plan by which the Dominion and provincial governments share equally the cost of the plan.

The maximum amount paid to any recipient of old age pensions is \$240 per year. Applications for pension may be made by a British subject or a widow who is not a British subject but was before her marriage upon attaining the age 70 years. Each applicant must have resided in Canada for 20 years immediately preceding the date of the application and lived in the province for five years.

No subject who is an Indian with in the meaning of the Indian Act is eligible. If a pensioner has a yearly income over \$125, the maximum amount of \$240 payable annually is reduced in his case by the sum received by him in the way of income in excess of \$125.

### Largest All-Metal Planes

Great Britain Leads World in This Type of Machine

Great Britain now leads the world in gigantic aeroplanes, for it has been disclosed that her latest all-metal air battleship, weighing 12 tons and equipped with Rolls-Royce engines, has just completed a cruise of 5,500 miles over the North and Baltic Seas. In addition there soon will be other even more formidable aeroplanes intended for war purposes which are at present undergoing secret tests. Four of these will leave Plymouth very soon, in order to undertake a 25,000 mile tour, visiting Egypt, India and Australia.

It is also announced that two passenger flying boats, intended for use on overseas sections of the empire, are being constructed between these three countries, a distance of some ten thousand miles, are nearing completion. Each will be capable of carrying fifteen passengers.

The use of stainless steel in the manufacture of the new air battleships effects an enormous saving in weight, while it also protects the craft from rust by sea water.

### An Irish Prig

In that time which is now sometimes referred to as "the good old days," Pat and Mike had been imbibing entirely too much. Father Keenan met them on the street and made them promise to go to his house the next day and take the pledge.

Early the next morning Pat met Mike; they linked arms and started for the priest's abode. Their way took them past a saloon.

"Hi, Mike!" says Pat. "What say we ship in an' have just what we need before we take the pledge?"

"Now," replied Mike. "His reverence might smell our breath. Wait till we're outside!"

"A fellow just told me I looked like you."

"Where is he? I'd like to knock his block off."

"I killed him."

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## Has Had Colorful History

Famous Steamer Again To Serve As Oil Burner

Another page is to be written in the already colorful history of the steamship Yapura, first vessel to navigate the waters of Lake Titicaca, in the Andes mountains, the highest steam navigated lake in the world. Growth of the oil industry, reports to the commerce department say, has brought her out of retirement.

Many years ago, before the Southern Railway of Peru was extended to Lake Titicaca, the Yapura was brought out from England to Ilo-Ilo, Peru, and there completely dismantled, mounted on flat cars and shipped to the railroad of the Southern. From that point the vessel's parts were carried by mule and llama to Luno, on the lake, and reassembled, and she then was placed into service at an altitude of 12,545 feet above the sea level.

Natives became greatly excited as the vessel, of about 1,000 tons, commenced her lofty maiden voyage, belching forth clouds of black smoke as she churned the waters near their basket boats.

After many years of service, during which time two steamers and a motor boat joined her on the lake in the clouds, the Yapura was retired. Bolivian industrialists, however, recently have found it advisable to burn oil, so the old Yapura is now being reconstructed and fitted out as a tanker with a capacity of 1,200 barrels. She will carry crude petroleum from Luno to Quail, across the lake, for Bolivian consumption.

## Always On Starboard Side

Cabin Of Honor, Occupies Same Position On Any Ship

It was not pure accident that placed the Prince of Wales' special suite in the new liner Empress of Australia, when he came to Canada, on the starboard, or right-hand, side of the ship. The Prince occupied this position in accordance with time-honored ship etiquette.

The origin of this practice is lost in antiquity, but you will find the rule observed in every ship, whether the cabin of honor is an elaborate self-contained flat in a luxury liner or a tiny single-berth room in a small steamer.

The captain of the ship always has his own quarters on the starboard side—except, of course, where the design of the deckhouse brings them nearly amidships, when, even then, the door is on the starboard side—and the special passenger must be made comfortable on the "Old Man's" side. Likewise, he sits on the captain's right at table.

These two little points of ship etiquette are as rigid as the showing of a green light on the starboard beam at night.

## Requires Great Skill

Process Of Obtaining From Rare Earths A Substitute For Radium

In a garden just outside London is a curious factory, says a writer, for extracting mesothorium, the substance that has almost entirely replaced radium for making luminous figures on watch dials and clockfaces. Mesothorium is far cheaper than radium, and is twice as powerful in making the phosphorescent paints that are used on the dial's glow. Its drawback is that it has a shorter life than radium. Its power of emitting alpha rays dying out in a few years.

The mesothorium is obtained from the rare earths used in the manufacture of incandescent gas mantles. It is a chemical process requiring great skill, care, and patience in gradually concentrating the radioactive element from the raw material.

## Patient Had Succumbed

A well-known physician was examining a class of nurses. He described the condition of a patient, and asked how much morphine, in her opinion, should be administered to the sufferer. "Eight grains," promptly replied the nurse.

The doctor made no comment and the girl passed on. When her turn came again she appeared greatly confused, and said to the examiner: "Doctor, I wish to convey the answer I made last time. I mean to say that one-eighth of a grain should be given to the patient."

"Too late," remarked the physician, without looking up from his question paper. "The man's dead."

"We have been married twenty years today, John."

"Yes, for twenty years we have fought."

"What?"

"—life's battles together, Martha."

Store manager—"They say brunettes have a sweeter disposition than blondes."

Clerk: "Well, my wife's been both and I can't see any difference."

## Tulip Planting

Best Time To Set Out Bulbs In The Fall

Tulip planting time is approaching and unless the bulbs are set out during the next few weeks another spring will pass without the gorgeous display of bloom for which the tulip is noted. According to the Superintendent of the Yappan, Nova Scotia, Experimental Farm, good bloom may be expected from bulbs set as late as the beginning of November, in his report for 1926 Mr. Baird, the superintendent, states that the early varieties Vermilion Brilliant, Pottebakker Scarlet, Chrysoles, Joest Van Vondel, made a splendid showing from May 25th to June 15th. The Darwin tulips, Mr. Baird points out, come in to bloom later, but are richer and have more delicate colors than the early sorts, filling in nicely between the early tulips and the summer annuals. The first bloom of the Darwin tulips at Nappan in the year under review was June 5th. The flowering season lasted until the 24th of the month. Among the most prominent sorts grown that year were Europe, Edmée, Farncombe Sanders, Hartweg, La Tulipe Noire and Prof. Ravenhof. This report, which is distributed by The Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, contains valuable information on dahlias, sweet peas, perennials, and other flowers besides field crops, and garden crops and other questions related to general farming.

## Novel Way To Win Home

Couple In Germany Took Up Residence On City Hall Steps

Ejected from their apartment by a German court order without an order of being supplied to them by the housing committee, a young married couple named Bergmann moved their worldly effects to the steps of the Waldenburger city hall and took up residence.

Chalk marking defaced the "rooms" to which they declared themselves entitled and they arranged to see guests and have dances defying orders to enter their "house."

Outlookers, however, thronged to the point and obstructed traffic so much that the burgomaster used his influence with the housing committee to supply quarters for the couple immediately, even arranging for the transportation of their effects.

Now he is being swamped with threats from scores of others who are unable to get houses on account of the food shortage. His only consolation is that the city hall steps won't hold all of them.

Visitor: "You poor man! Why don't you play some game to pass away the time?"

Prisoner No. 4415: "Lady, the only game I know how to play is chess, and I'd hate to start a game of it now, 'cause I'm to be hung Friday!"

Tom Tar—"Why does that big cannibal look at us so intently?"

Buccanener Bill—"Evidently he's the food inspector."

The British trade in silk is five times greater than it was before the war.

## Fattening Turkeys

Method Used For Conditioning Birds In About Three Weeks

The proper time to begin fattening turkeys is four weeks before they are wanted for table use. They need not be confined in pens, because, when properly fed they take no more exercise than is necessary. Turkeys raised in the open during the summer cannot stand close confinement during the fattening period. In a bulletin on turkeys, available at the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa, complete instructions for feeding the fattening birds are given. The young birds should be started feeding gradually. The feed should consist of mash and whole grain. The mash, which is fed for the morning and mid-day meals, is made up of equal parts of ground oats, barley meal, cornmeal and wheat bran. Ground buckwheat may be used instead of the ground barley. The ground grains should be mixed thoroughly before moistening with water or skim-milk, using only enough to make the meal stick together and not enough to make it sticky or sloppy. The moistening should be done about two hours before feeding. The mash is fed in a clean trough giving only as much as the turkeys will eat readily. The evening meal should consist of whole grain, whole corn being about the best, and no more should be fed than the birds can clean up nicely. Fresh water and grit should be provided in abundance. The turkeys can be conditioned in this way in about three weeks another week being used for killing, shipping and retailing.

## Claimant Is Found After Sixteen Years

English Bricklayer Can Wear Size 18 Boots Although Somewhat Tight

The man with the largest feet in Great Britain has been discovered. During carnival week in Spennymoor (Yorkshire), a boot firm exhibited in their windows a pair of boots, size 18, weighing 7 pounds, 6 ounces, and stated that they would be presented to any one whom they would fit.

These boots have been exhibited up and down the country for 16 years without finding a claimant, but at Spennymoor a claimant was forthcoming in Thomas Roper a bricklayer, aged 35.

Roper, whose height is 6 feet, 9 inches, on trying on the boots, declared they were too tight for him.

## A Murder Story

He had choked her, he had killed her. There could be no doubt about it; she was still and cold—cold as the hands of death.

Yet, in his fury, he was not convinced. He stepped on her—stepped on her again, with his big heavy foot. A faint gasp—was she groaning? No, she was still dead.

"Damn that engine," he muttered.

Wife—"You'd better explain why you haven't spoken to me for three days."

Hubby—"I don't want to interrupt."

## Roots For Seed

Wintering Roots To Be Used For Seed Sowing

Field root seed is grown from either mature roots or stockings, planted in the spring. Stockings are small immature roots and there are certain advantages in using them, but, conditions being equal they do not produce so much seed as mature roots.

Roots for seed raising must be handled with care, particular pains being taken has no damage is done in harvesting and storing. The proper methods of harvesting and storing are fully described in a new bulletin on Field Roots in Canada available at the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa. In gathering the roots are to be used for seed raising the leaves should not be twisted off but cut two or three inches from the top of the root. The roots should not be trimmed, and a critical examination of them should be made at harvest time and all damaged, misshapen, prongy and off-type ones discarded.

Many methods of holding over winter roots to be used for seed have been tried but, according to the bulletin, by far the best method under ordinary Canadian conditions is to store them in properly constructed cellars or pits. For satisfactory storage, temperature should be maintained between 22 and 33 degrees Fahrenheit. Sudden and extreme temperature changes are the cause of greater loss than continued low temperatures. Mangels, sugar beets and carrots will not be handled while frozen and that the frost is allowed to come out gradually. Stored roots must not be allowed to dry out as drying is one of the principal causes of loss in cellar storage.

## Experiments Have Proved Successful

Scientist Announces Extraction Of Rubber From Fig Trees

Dr. Frederic Oslus, a rubber specialist, announces that his first experiments in extraction of rubber from fig trees have proved successful.

Dr. Oslus said that rubber in commercial quantities may be obtained from the panache, or French fig, and that the common California varieties, the Kadota and the Adriatic, are being subjected to research processes now. He said he had produced a fine piece of rubber from panache milk.

"The man who gives in when he is wrong," said the street orator, "is a wise man, and he who gives in when he is right is—"

"—Married," said a weak voice in the audience.

Casey—"Ye ought to apologize to th' lad."

Cassidy—"That's fair enough. O'll apologize, but if he accepts me apology I'll knock his block off!"

Doctor—"I saw your husband yesterday. He was laboring under great mental stress."

Mrs. Dinks — "Mental stress is about right, if he was laboring."

## Making A Real Comeback

Destruction Of Waterfowl Effectively Checked By International Protection

"It spring shooting of migratory game birds had not been abolished throughout North America in 1916 there would not now be left a sufficient number of birds of certain important species, to provide shooting for anybody, either in spring or fall."

This considered opinion of a Canadian game conservationist is quoted in the official publication of the Department of the Interior of Canada, and brings into high relief the benefits of the Migratory Birds Treaty between Canada and the United States and the acts which supplement it.

According to the American Game Protective Association facts concerning the possible practical extermination of some of our remaining species of migratory waterfowl have led to the general acceptance by sportsmen of the prohibition of spring shooting as a necessary provision.

Everyone knows that there is no surer way to exterminate any animal or bird than to pursue and harry it immediately before and during the breeding season. Taking into consideration that every bird arriving in Canada has survived a winter and two migrations, it is probably not over the mark to say, from the standpoint of bird conservation, that each bird killed in spring is the equivalent of four or five killed in the autumn. The abolition of spring shooting according to reports from all parts of the country, has increased the fall flights, and birds are now nesting in localities where they had not been seen for so long that people had come to believe that they never nested there. The object, of course, in these measures is not to reduce human profit and pleasure but to increase it by perpetuating and increasing the numbers of the animals or birds concerned. Speaking of the Dominion as a whole, Canada has held a good stock of moose and deer and is rapidly bringing back the buffalo and the elk, and there is every reason to believe that the same happy result will follow the efficient management of North America's wild duck and geese.

## Keeper Of Royal Dog

Amusing Incident Told By Mlle. Cartier While In Montreal

During her recent visit to Montreal, Mlle. Hortense Cartier told with great glee of an incident when the Prince of Wales' grandfather, the late King Edward, came to Montreal. Someone had presented a beautiful dog, and in the royal procession of arrival followed the young Prince, followed by the dog, and after him the keeper of the royal dog, replied the way. Whereupon the journalist wrote home to New York that he had seen a most interesting royal procession with the Prince and his dog followed by his keeper attired in red velvet!

## Cattle Raising Countries

British India Is The Largest Holder Of Cattle, and Canada Ranks Eleventh

Among the principal cattle-holding countries according to official returns for the latest year for which sufficient data is available for purpose of comparison, Canada ranked eleventh. British India as the largest holder with 143,572,201 head, and the United States second with 62,150,000 head. The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in Europe had 39,575,000; Argentina, 37,064,550; Germany, 17,202,332; France, 14,372,980; Australia, 12,305,539; Great Britain and Ireland, 12,025,611; the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in Asia, 10,950,200; the Union of South Africa, 9,738,337; and Canada, 9,307,293 head.

## A Poor Field

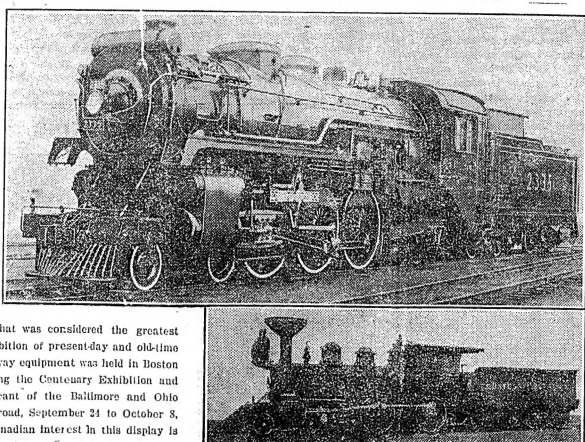
The squirrel, more noted for his knowledge of horsemanship than theology, was not a frequent attendant at the village church, but his wife had prevailed upon him to act a good example to the villagers for once.

Awakening suddenly during this rather tedious sermon, the squirrel yawned and blinked round the congregation. His eyes eventually perceived the hymn board.

"Columbus!" he exclaimed in an audible whisper, and in a tone of great disgust, "Only three runners!"

Perhaps as sensible a way as any to make room on the highways for the new cars would be to suspend the hymns permanently of the old car owners found guilty of dangerous driving.

## First Iron Horse Fair in History



Upper—"The '218' Pacific type locomotive. Lower—in comparison, an old-time iron horse in use in the early days of the C.P.R.

What was considered the greatest exhibition of present-day and old-time railway equipment was held in Boston during the Centenary Exhibition and Pageant of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, September 21 to October 8. Canadian interest in this display is drawn by reason of the fact that the Canadian Pacific Railway will be represented at this exhibition by one of their "2300"-Pacific type locomotives, the latest and fastest engine on the Company's lines. This engine, which has already gone forward to Baltimore, represents a type produced by the Company in 1926. The main feature of this engine is the 25 per cent. increase in boiler pressure bringing the pressure up to 25 pounds per square inch. This was attained

without materially increasing the weight of the engine by the use of a nickel-steel boiler plate, the first of its kind to be used on the American continent.

The fair of the iron horse is the first of its kind to be staged and to it he is coming from many parts of the world, whether modern or old. Among the most distinguished of the

modern locomotives will be the King George V., from the Great Western line in Great Britain. This locomotive is the pride of British workmen and the most powerful passenger locomotive that has ever been produced across the water. With the trains of each period will be appropriately costumed passengers who will add a pleasing touch of reality to the scene.





## PAINTED FIRES

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## CHAPTER IX.—Continued

"Shut up, Rose—they'll hear us!"

"Hear nothing! He's dead—dead—the best man God's sun ever shone on—murder—murder—murder!" Rose wrung her hands dramatically in imitation of Mrs. Wynmuth, while the girls choked with laughter. Then she choked with grief, and then, flinging "I'm a little wretched, please. I am not stowed yet but will be soon."

Minnie held her letter rapturously in her hands. She could not open it before the girls. Waiting her chance she stole out into the long, uncarpeted hall, where she ran along in her bare feet until she reached the linen closet. There she found the switch and turned on the light, trembling with excitement.

A great cry broke from Minnie's lips as she read—a cry of joy—her mother loved her still, loved and believed in her and would stand by her to the end. There was a dollar bill in the letter, and a whole row of kisses, and many a word of loving comfort. Minnie ran back to her room, who was showing the girls what had happened. Her English had deserted her, but she shook Rose Lamb to show what had provoked her assault, and then showed with a menacing gesture how her hand had held the blow. The girls were deliciously thrilled and shivered with delight.

The sight of Minnie's radiant face recalled Helmi, and she followed her down the hall, where Minnie threw her arms around her, sobbing with joy.

"It's all right, Helmi! My mother knows. She is sorry but says I must not worry now. And it ends, 'God bless my poor little girl.'"

"That is good words," said Helmi gravely, "and I'm glad I got it for you. Will you read my letters?"

Helmi's letters were from the girls of the Club and one from Miss Rodgers. Lucy Powers wrote: "Dear Helmi!—We are at our supper to-night and are thinking of you, we hope you are well and happy. Too, we have scudged potatoes and salad, and rice puddings with a sea on top that helps some. Mildred has a beau, but she won't tell who he is, and maybe she don't know, but anyway, we are teasing her, and Miss Rodgers says for you to read page eleven in the Blue and Gold Book, and you'll see what the little verse is we are learning today—it's the 'Upward Road,' and you can just think you are with us. Miss Rodgers will write, and we want a letter from you to read at our meeting. We have them from all absent members. Lily is at the Coast and Eula is in California still, and

## THEY SUFFER NO MORE

Two Women Owe Health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

St. Adolphe, Manitoba.—"I was very weak and had great pains during my periods so that I could not sweep the floor. The pains were in the right side and extended to the left and then down-wards. It seemed as if the body was heavy and upside down. It is for these troubles I took the Vegetable Compound."

I saw about it in a paper and one woman prevailed on me to take it. It has helped me in every way, the pains are less, and I have more appetite. It is a pleasure to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to other women.—Mrs. J. L. Courtenay, St. Adolphe, Manitoba.

**Found Great Relief**

Toronto, Ont.—I am at the Change of Life with hot flashes, dizziness, weakness and nervousness. I had head noises and was short of breath. I was this way about six months when I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have taken eight bottles so far and found great relief.—Mrs. R. J. Saitow, 112 Lawlor Ave., Toronto, Ont.

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They would know. When she shut her eyes she could see the blood spreading on Mr. Wynmuth's pale cheek, and hear again Mrs. Wynmuth's queer words, and the glass crashing and splintering. She was sorry for that, and would write to Miss Abbie about breaking the glass. Miss Abbie would pay the damages.

The glass should be gathered up—glass was sharp to walk on and made quick cuts in feet. Helmi slipped stealthily from her bed. The girls were all sleeping now. Noiselessly she went down-stairs and into the dining room, closing the door before she switched on the light. The chair which Mr. Wynmuth had fallen against still lay on its side. Helmi lifted it up and set the room to rights. Then she began to pick up the pieces of glass, very careful to make no noise. At the blood-stains on the floor she shuddered—it was surely a dreadful thing to shed blood; she hoped Mr. Wynmuth was not badly hurt.

Try as she would, Helmi could not make herself feel very sorry. The exquisite thrill of power which she felt when she saw them thrown from her was still like wine—it was glorious!

Above all Helmi had written a psalm of elation: "New is my head lifted up above my enemies. . . they are as chaff that the wind driveth away. . . Thou prepared a table before me." She wanted to sing; to march; to dance. Suppose they did punish her, beat her, shut her in a dark room on bread and water like they had already done to Rose Lamb, she could bear it. She had the memory of this glorious victory, the joy of stealing the keys—and best of all, her letters.

Helmi turned the light out when her work was done, but lingered at the window to watch the city below, with its myriads of twinkling lights, row upon row, making weirdly fantastic figures as she watched them. She loved the city with its mellow hum of tramping feet, its jarring autos and clanging, ragged train whistles, that seemed to rise in ever widening circles of sound. She loved to listen to the murmur that rose and fell, swelled and lessened. Something coming—coming—looser—looser—bursting—passing—falling—gone. The sleepless, restless, shifting city. She loved it; she was part of it. Away over there, where the reflection of big lights painted its sky, she had friends. There were people who thought of her and would be glad to see her. Helmi loved it; it was her city!

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## The Advance Of Science

Believes That A Vast Future Awaits Further Investigation

That a "new science has taken its place among the classic sciences" is the conclusion of Prof. Charles Richet, of Paris, widely known physiologist, in reviewing the result of the international congress of psychic research just closed.

"For a long time yet," he writes in *Le Journal*, "there will be contests and contradictions, but what science has not passed through these phases of hesitation and error? We are now aware that there are vibrations other than those we know of today."

"We know nothing, or almost nothing, of the immense universe which encloses us, which quivers around us quite close to us. Who knows if it is not going to modify our existence, our conception of life, and even our ideas of human society."

"But we shall not allow ourselves to be misled. We shall take smoke for the flame. The next congress at Athens in 1930 will bring us fresh documents. A vast future opens to us in the next quarter century."

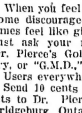
Princeton University students have a chance to actually observe the variation in the earth's rotation. This is done by checking the motion of a ball weighing 1,400 pounds which is hung at the end of a 60-foot quarter-inch steel rod.

"I put on speed, thinking he could beat the train to it," "Did he get across?" "He will as soon as the tombstone maker has it finished."

**A Man Of Rare Attainment**

Honored politically and professionally, during his lifetime, Dr. R. V. Pierce, whose picture appears here, made a successful career. He was the originator of that great herbal tonic, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the sale of which has equalled his, being greatly increased.

When you feel weak, be easily discouraged quickly and sometimes feel like giving up the struggle, just tell your nearest druggist for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, or "G.M.D." in fluid or tablets. Users everywhere hail its praises. Send 10 cents for trial package of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeport, Ontario.



The brisk, pungent taste of Red Rose Tea is kept at its best in the bright, sanitary aluminum packages. You will never find now the flat, stale taste which is so often complained of in tea packed in inferior containers.

## Empire's Finest Building

New Bank of England Designed To Last A Thousand Years

A unique procedure has been adopted to advance the building of the new Bank of England. Every Monday certain governors of the bank now meet the architect, a representative of the constructors, and other experts, to discuss practically what work will be done before the following Monday.

This novel "works committee" is exercising such infinite care over every detail of the world's most famous bank that the building of it is expected to take at least ten years.

The most astonishing feature about the work is the almost unceasing security which with it is being done. Every day thousands of enquiring spectators, many of them visitors from the United States and overseas, peer through the doorways without becoming more than dimly aware of the great monument that is slowly coming to perfection.

Within a hundred yards or so of the bank, buildings have subsided and collapsed. The bank itself has no fear of such a catastrophe, for its foundations are being laid as firm and solid as the Rock of Gibraltar.

The cost of the new bank is estimated today at \$25,600,000. It will house, in addition to the ordinary offices and business of the bank, the credit of Great Britain in the form of those big blocks of pure gold, generally known as bullion, which are stored in the long, vaulted strong rooms.

The new bank of England will be the finest building in the British Empire and it is being built to last at least a thousand years.

## Scheme Is Being Supported

All Provinces Interested In Agricultural Jubilee Says Hon. W. R. Motherwell

Canada's agricultural jubilee is going over well, according to Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Federal Minister of Agriculture, who announces that the co-operation of the various provinces is being assured and that the tremendous growth of the Dominion's eight billion dollar basic industry will be shown in all its varied phases. The Royal Winter Fair at Toronto, which opens on November 15 and continues until November 24, has been selected as the scene for the celebration of the epoch making agricultural event.

Hon. Mr. Motherwell, says that he is greatly encouraged by the interest of agriculturists from one end of the Dominion to the other and feels assured that agriculture will at last come into its own in recognition by the people of the people of the country as the vital factor in our National prosperity.

"I feel," said the minister, "that Canada's agricultural jubilee will show to the citizens of this great Dominion and to the world at large just what is the basis of our National greatness. In this auspicious year of the confederation of the provinces it seems to me but fitting that the industry which has made the nation great should have this recognition."

## One Reason For Advertising

Change In Market Makes It Imperative For Business Success

If the same people always lived in the same place and kept on doing the same things, then it might not be necessary to keep on advertising day after day, month after month, and year after year. But they don't. Part of America's market dies every day and a new part takes its place. Publishers not only change their living habits, but they change their buying habits. The pay envelope of today is not spent exactly the same as the pay envelope of five years ago was spent, nor will the pay envelope of next year be spent exactly as the pay envelope of this week. One advertising man has these figures about the changes that take place in our markets in a single year. 2,500,000 babies start their earthly careers; 400,000 high school students discover that a diploma is no opening sesame to a job; 1,250,000 couples decide that two can live cheaper than one; 2,000,000 families get the wanderlust; 1,400,000 people shake off the "mortal coil."

To play a bigger part in the markets of tomorrow you must keep in front of the public your wares of today—and every day. Your goods will not interest the public unless you see to it that they do. How can you do this without keeping on advertising.

Only a fool indulges in violent exercises when he needs rest.

## Preserving India's Sacred Trees

Huge Banyans Are Principal Attraction At Royal Botanical Garden

One of the attractions of the Royal Botanical Garden at Sibpur, India, is its huge banyan trees. One of the largest of these trees has had to undergo a surgical operation for fungus growth. The present age of the tree is about 155 years, but according to Dr. King, the superintendent, it is much older. The circumference of the trunk, in 1923, at a height of about 5½ feet, was about 51 feet, the crown about 1,000 feet, and the number of aerial roots about 601, which are actually rooted down in the ground.

It is a pity that the main trunk was rotten and had to be cut down, leaving a wide gap at the centre. The dome-shaped outline of the tree from a distance presents a grand picture.

The tree is religiously regarded by the Hindus, and gives shade to many weary visitors, specially during the hot months of May and June. The "bar" is called banyan as it used to give shelter to the merchants (Banyas or Baniks) during the old days, when there were no railways and other arrangements for transporting goods.

Attempts are being made to keep this oldest tree of the Royal Botanical Garden alive by removing the infested branches, and by aerating the aerial roots and manuring. A few young plants have been planted to fill up the gap at the centre, and efforts will be made to graft the branches of the new plants to the older ones. The ground under the tree is being raised to keep off the floods during the rains and thus protecting the aerial roots from being waterlogged.

## NO BETTER MEDICINE FOR LITTLE ONES

Is What Thousands Of Mothers Say Of Baby's Own Tablets

A medicine for the baby or growing child—one that the mother can be sure is absolutely safe as well as efficient—is found in Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are praised by thousands of mothers throughout the country. These mothers have found by actual experience that there is no better medicine for little ones to equal them. Once a mother has used them for her children she will use nothing else. Concerning them Mrs. Charles Hunt, Tanawick, N.S., writes: "I have ten children, the baby being just six months old. I have used Baby's Own Tablets for them for the past 20 years and can truthfully say that I know of no better medicine for little ones. I always keep a box of the Tablets in the house and would advise all other mothers to do so."

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or will be mailed upon receipt of price, 25 cents per box, by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Little Helps For This Week

I have chosen thee in the furnace of affliction.—Isaiah xlviii. 10.

Who watched the artist paint a porcelain cup.

Did wonder when he gathered brushes up, And said, "My task is done."

That on the toy's fine rim, A border black and grim, Contrasted lately with gentle tint Of pink and azure, bold and berry.

And mocked those threads of sun, That made the cup a prize To ravish royal eyes.

"Why leave this scowl of black?" one dared inquire. The artist answered, "Clay must taste the fire."

And by that test be tried." Snatched from the furnace heat, The work was done, and complete.

The dazzling gift comes crowned with aureole gleam, Its black all changed to gold. So, like a dream,

Heard said to heart that sighed, Grief may be joy at last. When life's heat and dust has passed.

The child of God is assured that all things work together for good; in this is plainly included the pledge that chastisements and afflictions shall eventually prove a blessing.

—J. W. Alexander.

**New Varieties Of Apple**

Apples are Canada's leading commercial product in fruit. Since 1858 when seed was imported from Riga, on the Baltic Sea, continuous efforts have been made to originate new and better varieties of apple for Canada.

In a recent report of the Horticultural Division of the Dominion Experimental Farms descriptions of 18 new varieties named during 1925 are supplied.

For years Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator has ranked as a reliable worm preparation and it always maintains its reputation.

At the spiritualists: "So you want to call up the spirit of your late mother-in-law?"

"Yes, it wasn't enough for her to plague the life out of me, but just before her death she hid my pipe."

Relieves Sore Throat—Minard's Liniment.

## Children's Colds Best Treated Externally

That's why modern mothers prefer Vicks—It cannot upset delicate stomachs. Rubbed on throat and chest, it acts two ways at once:

(1) Its healing vapors, released by the body heat, are inhaled direct to the air passages;

(2) It "draws out" the soreness like an old-fashioned poultice.

**VICKS**  
VAPORUB  
OVER 75 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

## Neuralgia

The maddening pain will succumb to applications of Minard's.



## Was Taken As Security

Valuable Diamond Ring Found In Hotel Safe After Fifteen Years

Searching an old safe in the Queen's Hotel, Toronto, before offering it at auction, Thomas Jenkins found among a number of old papers, a three-stone diamond ring that has been lost for more than 15 years. The ring was sold and the proceeds will go to the McGaw and Winnett estates.

Years ago the ring was taken as security for a debt from a guest of the hotel when he was leaving without funds to meet his account. Shortly afterwards the old safe was abandoned, and when the ring was searched for later it could not be found. The ring has three high-grade diamonds, each weighing more than a carat, and at present prices has a value of about \$950, it is estimated.

## CHOLERA, CRAMPS, PAINS IN THE STOMACH RELIEVED BY



Mrs. D. Leavitt, Back Bay, N.D., writes:—"Last summer my children were very ill with cholera and suffered severely from cramps and pains in their stomachs. I tried several remedies, but nothing seemed to do them any good. A friend of mine told me to try Dr. Fowler's Ext-O of Wild Strawberry. I got a bottle and gave them a few doses and they soon found relief. Now I will never be without it in the summer months."

**Don't Accept A Substitute**

This preparation has been on the market for 80 years, put up only by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

The figure 2584 is a mysterious one. For instance, add the following: Year of your birth, your age, year of your marriage, number of years married—result, 2584. Always.

## PIMPLES ON FACE 6 MONTHS

Itching and Burning Severe. Cuticura Heals.

"I had pimples on my face for about six months. They were hard, itchy and red and scaled over. The itching and burning were so severe that I could not keep from scratching myself. My face became quite sore. My face looked so bad that I was ashamed."

"I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. It helped me so much that I purchased more, and after using six cakes of Cuticura Soap and three boxes of Cuticura Ointment I was completely healed."

(Signed) Mrs. Dill, Box 3, Vicoz, Sask., Nov. 6, 1926.

Give Cuticura Soap and Ointment the care of your skin.

Sample sent by mail address Canadian Import: "The National Drug Co., Ltd., 1000-1001, 1002-1003, 1004-1005, 1006-1007, 1008-1009, 1010-1011, 1012-1013, 1014-1015, 1016-1017, 1018-1019, 1020-1021, 1022-1023, 1024-1025, 1026-1027, 1028-1029, 1030-1031, 1032-1033, 1034-1035, 1036-1037, 1038-1039, 1040-1041, 1042-1043, 1044-1045, 1046-1047, 1048-1049, 1050-1051, 1052-1053, 1054-1055, 1056-1057, 1058-1059, 1060-1061, 1062-1063, 1064-1065, 1066-1067, 1068-1069, 1070-1071, 1072-1073, 1074-1075, 1076-1077, 1078-1079, 1080-1081, 1082-1083, 1084-1085, 1086-1087, 1088-1089, 1090-1091, 1092-1093, 1094-1095, 1096-1097, 1098-1099, 1100-1101, 1102-1103, 1104-1105, 1106-1107, 1108-1109, 1110-1111, 1112-1113, 1114-1115, 1116-1117, 1118-1119, 1120-1121, 1122-1123, 1124-1125, 1126-1127, 1128-1129, 1130-1131, 1132-1133, 1134-1135, 1136-1137, 1138-1139, 1140-1141, 1142-1143, 1144-1145, 1146-1147, 1148-1149, 1150-1151, 1152-1153, 1154-1155, 1156-1157, 1158-1159, 1160-1161, 1162-1163, 1164-1165, 1166-1167, 1168-1169, 1170-1171, 1172-1173, 1174-1175, 1176-1177, 1178-1179, 1180-1181, 1182-1183, 1184-1185, 1186-1187, 1188-1189, 1190-1191, 1192-1193, 1194-1195, 1196-1197, 1198-1199, 1200-1201, 1202-1203, 1204-1205, 1206-1207, 1208-1209, 1210-1211, 1212-1213, 1214-1215, 1216-1217, 1218-1219, 1220-1221, 1222-1223, 1224-1225, 1226-1227, 1228-1229, 1230-1231, 1232-1233, 1234-1235, 1236-1237, 1238-1239, 1240-1241, 1242-1243, 1244-1245, 1246-1247, 1248-1249, 1250-1251, 1252-1253, 1254-1255, 1256-1257, 1258-1259, 1260-1261, 1262-1263, 1264-1265, 1266-1267, 1268-1269, 1270-1271, 1272-1273, 1274-1275, 1276-1277, 1278-1279, 1280-1281, 1282-1283, 1284-1285, 1286-1287, 1288-1289, 1290-1291, 1292-1293, 1294-1295, 1296-1297, 1298-1299, 1300-1301, 1302-1303, 1304-1305, 1306-1307, 1308-1309, 1310-1311, 1312-1313, 1314-1315, 1316-1317, 1318-1319, 1320-1321, 1322-1323, 1324-1325, 1326-1327, 1328-1329, 1330-1331, 1332-1333, 1334-1335, 1336-1337, 1338-1339, 1340-1341, 1342-1343, 1344-1345, 1346-1347, 1348-1349, 1350-1351, 1352-1353, 1354-1355, 1356-1357, 1358-1359, 1360-1361, 1362-1363, 1364-1365, 1366-1367, 1368-1369, 1370-1371, 1372-1373, 1374-1375, 1376-1377, 1378-1379, 1380-1381, 1382-1383, 1384-1385, 1386-1387, 1388-1389, 1390-1391, 1392-1393, 1394-1395, 1396-1397, 1398-1399, 1400-1401, 1402-1403, 1404-1405, 1406-1407, 1408-1409, 1410-1411, 1412-1413, 1414-1415, 1416-1417, 1418-1419, 1420-1421, 1422-1423, 1424-1425, 1426-1427, 1428-1429, 1430-1431, 1432-1433, 1434-1435, 1436-1437, 1438-1439, 1440-1441, 1442-1443, 1444-1445, 1446-1447, 1448-1449, 1450-1451, 1452-1453, 1454-1455, 1456-1457, 1458-1459, 1460-1461, 1462-1463, 1464-1465, 1466-1467, 1468-1469, 1470-1471, 1472-1473, 1474-1475, 1476-1477, 1478-1479, 1480-1481, 1482-1483, 1484-1485, 1486-1487, 1488-1489, 1490-1491, 1492-1493, 1494-1495, 1496-1497, 1498-1499, 1500-1501, 1502-1503, 1504-1505, 1506-1507, 1508-1509, 1510-1511, 1512-1513, 1514-1515, 1516-1517, 1518-1519, 1520-1521, 1522-1523, 1524-1525, 1526-1527, 1528-1529, 1530-1531, 1532-1533, 1534-1535, 1536-1537, 1538-1539, 1540-1541, 1542-1543, 1544-1545, 1546-1547, 1548-1549, 1550-1551, 1552-1553, 1554-1555, 1556-1557, 1558-1559, 1560-1561, 1562-1563, 1564-1565, 1566-1567, 1568-1569, 1570-1571, 1572-1573, 1574-1575, 1576-1577, 1578-1579, 1580-1581, 1582-1583, 1584-1585, 1586-1587, 1588-1589, 1590-1591, 1592-1593, 1594-1595, 1596-1597, 1598-1599, 1600-1601, 1602-1603, 1604-1605, 1606-1607, 1608-1609, 1610-1611, 1612-1613, 1614-1615, 1616-1617, 1618-1619, 1620-1621, 1622-1623, 1624-1625, 1626-1627, 1628-1629, 1630-1631, 1632-1633, 1634-1635, 1636-1637, 1638-1639, 1640-1641, 1642-1643, 1644-1645, 1646-1647, 1648-1649, 1650-1651, 1652-1653, 1654-1655, 1656-1657, 1658-1659, 1660-1661, 1662-1663, 1664-1665, 1666-1667, 1668-1669, 1670-1671, 1672-1673, 1674-1675, 1676-1677, 1678-1679, 1680-1681, 1682-1683, 1684-1685, 1686-1687, 1688-1689, 1690-1691, 1692-1693, 1694-1695, 1696-1697, 1698-1699, 1700-1701, 1702-1703, 1704-1705, 1706-1707, 1708-1709, 1710-1711, 1712-1713, 1714-1715, 1716-1717, 1718-1719, 1720-1721, 1722-1723, 1724-1725, 1726-1727, 1728-1729, 1730-1731, 1732-1733, 1734-1735, 1736-1737, 1738-1739, 1740-1741, 1742-1743, 174

## The Mixed Farming Tendency

Proof of the Western tendency toward diversified farming is given by "Agricultural and Industrial Progress in Canada," a publication issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. It has recorded the progress made in agriculture in the 15 years between 1911 and 1926. The number of farms in the prairie provinces has grown in that time from 199,203 to 248,168, or an increase of 24.6 percent. The growth in Manitoba was 22 percent, in Saskatchewan 22 percent, and in Alberta more than 27 percent, or from 60,559 to 77,130.

The animal population of the provinces is indicated by the following figures: The West had 1,194,995 horses 15 years ago and the total in 1926 was 2,208,578; cattle increased in number from 1,808,935 to 2,921,630; sheep from 285,130 to 750,474; and swine from 712,222 to 1,602,489. The increase in sheep and swine applies to all provinces and is one of the best signs of the change from straight wheat growing.

In the period, cattle per farm have increased in Manitoba from 9.98 to 11.43; in Saskatchewan from 6.67 to 9.79, and in Alberta from 12.21 to 15.04. Manitoba, which had 86 sheep per farm in 1911, had in 1926 212; Saskatchewan increased its figures from 1.20 per farm to 1.37; and Alberta from 2.21 to 6.17. This latter is due to the addition of large range herds as well as the more general adoption of sheep on the small farm. In the 15 years Manitoba increased its swine per farm from 4.32 to 5.71; Saskatchewan from 3.01 to 5.07; and Alberta from 3.92 to 9.09.

The New York Yankees won the deciding game in the world baseball championship on Saturday last, thus winning four straight games from the Pittsburgh Pirates.

## Annual Feeder Cattle Show and Sale at Calgary

Plans are under way for the holding of the annual Feeder Show and Sale held under the auspices of the Calgary Livestock Exchange, at the Alberta Stockyards, Calgary, October 17 and 18. Entries for this event close October 15, at 12 o'clock noon and all stock must be in the exhibition pens not later than 10 o'clock on October 17.

Some \$7,500 will be awarded as prizes in the various classes and the success which has attended these shows and sales each year since their inception warrants the directors in expecting that all cattle handled this year will be sold at prices satisfactory to consignors. Reasonable travelling expenses to all Canadian stations will be paid in the case of purchasers of one or more carloads of feeder cattle, and the usual stocker and feeder rate will apply on all feeder cattle bought at the sale.

## Hon. R. B. Bennett Elected Conservative Leader

The National Conservative convention being held in Winnipeg during the past week, made the choice of Hon. R. B. Bennett, federal member of West Calgary, as leader of the Conservative party of Canada on the second ballot. Mr. Bennett received a total of 778 of the 1554 votes cast.

Delegates were present from all over the Dominion, and the resolutions passed were numerous and the discussions interesting. Now that a leader for the Conservative party has been selected, we may soon hear rumors of a general election.

Mrs. J. G. Power, of Hanna, was a visitor at the Acadia Hotel on Friday last. Mrs. Power, who is conducting a beauty parlor in Hanna, intends visiting Chinook every month and will be ready to do haircutting and marcelling work for the ladies.

## The School Column

The School Literary Society held their usual Meeting last Friday when the High School room put on the programme. The meeting was opened by the singing of "Oh Canada" followed by the reading of the minutes by the Secretary. The following programme was given:

A song "Smile and Keep A-miling" by the High School.  
Recitation by Dorothy Carter.  
Reading on "Why I Don't Like Dancing" by Vincent Kidout.  
Speech on "Long Trousers" given by Alfred Deman.

A guessing contest pertaining to the States.

## Wheat Pool News Notes

Quite a number of United States citizens, who own land in Alberta, are joining the Wheat Pool. Just recently Senator J. W. Reid, of Idaho, signed a contract covering two and a half sections of land in the Makepeace country.

Writing in "The Farm & Ranch Review," C. W. Peterson says: "It seems obvious to me that an organization which controls the wheat production of 135,000 farmers' fifty per cent, of all Canada's wheat and twenty-five per cent of the world's exportable surplus, and which is organized to render services to its membership at actual cost, can effect such economies in handling, and have such tremendous power, that to place it side by side with the comparatively puny efforts of even the greatest of private grain handling concerns is fantastic in the extreme."

The total handlings of the Alberta Pool elevators from the 1926 crop was 5,376,758 bushels for the forty-two houses, or an average of about 128,000 bushels per elevator. The first nine elevators were: Strome, 275,638 bus., Ponoka, 223,639 bus., Coaldale, 222,272 bus., Killam, 220,842 bus., Hussar, 214,943 bus., Daysland, 176,160 bus., Woodhouse, 176,344 bus., Dalemale, 168,173 bus., Ensign, 166,470 bus.

## Here and There

The total attendance at the Toronto Exhibition this year was 1,810,000, or an increase of 297,000 over 1923.

The Saint John Board of Harbor Commissioners is now busy working on plans for more adequate pier facilities and estimating costs of new wharves, grain elevators and everything necessary to handle a larger flow of business.

The establishment of a "Faculty of Fisheries" at Dalhousie University at Halifax is under consideration. If this course is added to the curriculum, it will be the first time in the history of this continent that lectures on fisheries will have been delivered at a college course.

As a latent development of the Canada-West Indies treaty, ice cream is now being shipped from Halifax to British Guiana in liquid form and re-frozen at its destination. On the other hand, the cream shipped to Bermuda is shipped in blocks and kept solid throughout the journey.

Application has been made to the Vancouver Board of Harbor Commissioners for the right to build a tunnel under the city of Vancouver from the shore of Stanley Park and across First Narrows with a view to building a tunnel under the entrance to the harbor. The backers of the project estimate its cost at \$1,000,000.

A saving of forty-eight hours was effected in the transport of trans-Atlantic mail to the city when the ship sailed from the Canadian Pacific "Empress of Australia" at Montreal and conveyed by plane to Montreal. Experiments are considered to have been successful, and it is anticipated a future development will extend the flying service to Toronto.

Though the crop season is late, reports received by the transportation department of the Canadian Pacific Railway are most satisfactory, insofar as yield per acre is concerned. In many points in Saskatchewan, wheat comes that which threshed out from 25 to 35 bushels per acre, while in Alberta the yield runs from 25 to 45 bushels per acre.

F. W. Swindells, a wealthy Connecticut manufacturer, is developing a model farm at Princeton, on the 1200-acre estate of the Hamilton Atlantic Railway, twelve miles from Iona. This farm contains 200 acres under cultivation and 60 acres of woodland, ideally situated on the summit of a hill overlooking the upper part of the Connecticut river. His German herd consists of 50 purebred milk cows. His barns are of the latest dairy plan and are said to be the best in the province.

It is announced that the 2,000,000-bushel elevator at Midland, Ontario, erected by James Muir and his associates has been completed, and that the Canadian Pacific Railway is to proceed with the construction of a new elevator at Midland, connecting the elevator at Midland and joining up its main line through Port Huron to Montreal. The new elevator, it is believed, will be that the largest elevator point on the eastern lakes will have direct connection with Saint John, and have the effect of greatly increasing the traffic through that port.

## Mah B.O. Cafe

Good Meals at all Hours

Confectionery of all kinds

Fresh Oysters Fresh Fruit



## We want to know you better

THE church has a definite service to perform. Its purpose is to help humanity. It wants you to help in its efforts to help others. We want to know you better. Won't you come to church next Sunday, shake hands, and say you are ready to help in the greatest work on earth today—the work of bringing the world to Christ?

Chinook United Church  
Sunday School 11 a.m.  
Pew Service 7:30 p.m.  
Rev. A. G. Gay, B.A., Pastor.



Croesus Lodge, No. 115, G.R.A. A.F. & A.M.

Meets at 8 p.m. the Wednesday or after the full moon.

Visiting brethren cordially welcomed.

J. W. LA WRENCE, W. M.  
R. V. LAWRENCE, Secretary

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Coilings and Dies Sharpened  
Horse shoeing and General  
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We guarantee our work.

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## At the Elevators

(Prices Paid Yesterday)

Wheat	
1 Northern	1.18
2 Southern	1.14
3 Northern	1.07
Oats	
2 C. W.	.51
3 C. W.	.46
No. 1 Feed	.44
Barley	
3 C. W.	.60
4 C. W.	.56
Feed	.53
Rye	
2 C. W.	.73
3 C. W.	.70
Flax	
1 N. W.	1.61
2 C. W.	1.56
3 C. W.	1.39

## CLASSIFIED ADS.

FOUND—Ladies' wrist watch. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. Apply at Hurley's store.

FOR RENT—Good eight roomed house. Apply to Mrs. Nicholson.

Walter M. Crockett, LL. B., Barrister Solicitor, Notary Public  
Youngstown Alberta

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Physician and Surgeon, Cerebral  
Will be at the  
Chinook Hotel every Tuesday and Friday

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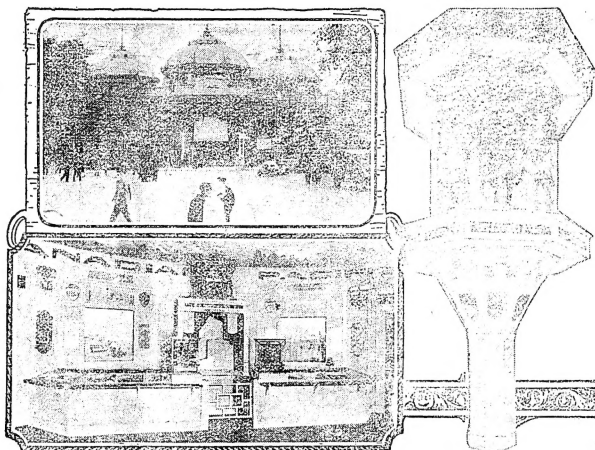
Prompt Service and prices reasonable  
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## King Restaurant

Meals at all Hours  
Our restaurant has been thoroughly renovated, and new booths installed

All kinds of Tobacco, Soft Drinks and Candies. ICE CREAM  
CHINOOK - ALTA.

## Handsome Canadian Pacific Exhibits



(1) The Railway Building at the Toronto Exhibition. (2) A portion of the Canadian Pacific Exhibit.

Throwing the spotlight on all its renewed activities, the Canadian Pacific Railway has again achieved success in its exhibit this year at the annual exhibition at Toronto. It is a busy spot for the visitor; for both the artist and the seeker after instruction and education finds in this display a wealth of beauty and learning. Running from the ceiling down to a depth of about four feet was a circular panorama of the Dominion stretching from the Atlantic to the Pacific Coast. This frieze was designed by James Cresskill of Montreal and executed by four other Canadian artists. In lively colors it gave an actual picture of the country through which the journey is made. At the base of this panorama the famous all-steel miniature Trans-Canada made its run.

Spread out as on a stage was a large model of the St. Lawrence River with the Atlantic Impresario steamships and smaller vessels entering and leaving the docks. In the foreground were prosperous looking farms, and across the river the city of Quebec with its winding streets and the towering Chateau Frontenac formed an absorbing picture. To look the East with the West

there was produced a working model showing the Banff Springs Hotel in its fairy-like surroundings. Here were seen the Canadian Rockies and the Bow River Valley in holiday mood. This beautiful castle of cement in the heart of the mountains promotes the urge to see more of the country we live in. They automobiles tour the winding paths, the riders start off with their pack horses for snow-capped peaks, and the Sioux Indian with his square head outside their tepees helped to make the setting realistic.

The Company's latest achievement in hotel construction was displayed in a model of the Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina. Covered was the foreground tell the story of man's advancement since the days when wigwags were the only means of crossing the prairie.

Special prominence was given to the new Canadian Pacific Hotel to be erected at Toronto. "The Royal York" which when completed will be the largest hotel building in the British Empire. Much interest in being displayed by the public in this new structure which will rise 20 stories above the street level and will be located directly across from

the new Union station. Other exhibits showed models of the Algonquin, Prince Rupert and Vancouver hotels.

The Lands of Enchantment and Discovery displayed on the World Circuit was presented in one colorful picture, with the hint of a color picture, which placed you high above the clouds, with a model of the new Canadian Pacific building in the foreground.

In addition there was a wonderful collection of revolving transparencies in natural colors, also rows of boxes were placed with high relief in the center of the building. This was a pillar around which were placed figures of natives of many countries in characteristic costumes.

## The OLD COUNTRY for CHRISTMAS

## SPECIAL TRAINS

DURING DECEMBER LOW FARES TO THE SEABOARD

## TO THE SHIPS' SIDE

FIRST TRAIN leaves Winnipeg 10:00 a.m. Nov. 24, to Montreal, for sailing of S.S. "Leiria," Nov. 26, to Belfast, Liverpool, Glasgow.  
SECOND TRAIN leaves Winnipeg 10:00 a.m. Nov. 24, to Quebec (direct via North Line), for sailing of S.S. "Regina," Nov. 26, to Belfast, Liverpool, Glasgow.  
THIRD TRAIN leaves Winnipeg 10:00 a.m., Dec. 2, to Halifax, for sailing of S.S. "Antonia," Dec. 5, to Plymouth, Havre, London; S.S. "Panama," to Plymouth, Cherbourg, Antwerp; and S.S. "Stockholm," to Gothenberg.  
FOURTH TRAIN leaves Winnipeg, 10:00 a.m., Dec. 8, to Halifax, for sailing of S.S. "Athena," Dec. 11, to Belfast, Liverpool, Glasgow.  
FIFTH TRAIN leaves Winnipeg, 10:00 a.m., Dec. 9, to Halifax, for sailing of S.S. "Ascania," Dec. 12, to Plymouth, Havre, London; and S.S. "Baltic," Dec. 12, to Queenstown, Liverpool.

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Direct to Seaboard  
For Various Christmas Sailings

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Edmonton

## FOR THE SAILING OF

"DROTTHNINGHOLM," Nov. 28, from Halifax to Gothenberg.  
"POLONIA," Dec. 8, from Halifax to Copenhagen, Danzig, Helsingfors.  
"FREDRIK VIII," Dec. 9, from Halifax to Christiansand, Oslo, Copenhagen.

THERE WILL BE THROUGH SLEEPERS FROM PRINCIPAL CITIES